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WEEKLY RETURN

OF

Births, Deaths, and Marriages

IN THE

Principal Towns of Scotland

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No. 1. Week ending SATURDAY, JANUARY 4, 1936. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 4th January 1936 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, those burghs which at the date of the 1931 Census had populations of over 30,000, the births of 883 living children, 1611 marriages, and 1006 deaths. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 945. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 18·1 per thousand, the marriage-rate 33·1, and the death-rate (corrected) 19·4.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·4 more than in the previous week, but 2·1 below the average. The marriage-rate is 16·9 more than in the previous week, and 10·2 above the average. The death-rate is 0·5 more than in the previous week, and 3·1 above the average. This is the highest death-rate recorded in these reports since that for the week ending 11th February 1933, when it was 19·5.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 29·9 in Hamilton and 25·7 in Kirkcaldy, to 12·4 in Falkirk and 13·0 in Dunfermline. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Coatbridge (22·7), in Glasgow (22·3) and in Greenock (22·2). In Edinburgh the rate was 16·2.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 31, and are 4 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·6 per thousand. They include 1 from typhoid fever, 2 from measles, 2 from scarlet fever, 4 from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria, 13 from influenza, 1 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 5 from other epidemic diseases, of which 3 were ascribed to erysipelas and 2 to lethargic encephalitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from typhoid fever are 2 fewer, from measles 1 more, from scarlet fever 1 more, from whooping-cough 2 more, from diphtheria 1 more, from influenza 5 fewer, from cerebro-spinal fever 1 more, and from other epidemic diseases 3 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 239, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 4·9 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·2 less than in the previous week, but is 1·3 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 131 and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 422. The former are 2 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 16 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 34, and are 5 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for ten of the towns named in the Table was 38°·5, being 2°·2 above that for the previous week, but 0°·7 below the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930. The mean rainfall was 1·36 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1936. (Provisional.)	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW,	1,124,300	377	691	520	55	14	479	22·3	0·8	68	201	0	0	1	0	2	10	1	4	146	11	13	45·5	32·2	38·3	1·65	2·4	1.
2. EDINBURGH,	464,600	148	260	163	21	2	144	16·2	0·5	14	76	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	1	26	0	10	45·0	33·0	39·7	1·31	6·1	2.
3. DUNDEE,	178,700	63	149	54	5	5	54	15·8	0·6	1	28	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	10	0	2	44·0	31·0	38·4	0·81	9·1	3.
4. ABERDEEN,	176,400	63	65	60	5	1	56	16·6	0·3	9	24	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	1	45·0	31·0	39·0	0·99	7·5	4.
5. PAISLEY,	89,700	26	59	36	5	0	31	18·1	0·6	7	14	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	11	0	0	46·0	32·8	38·9	1·87	5·5	5.
6. GREENOCK,	80,200	21	26	33	3	4	34	22·2	0·0	8	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	2	46·8	33·0	39·1	2·19	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	66,400	29	41	19	1	1	19	15·0	0·0	5	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK,	48,500	24	54	5	1	10	14	15·1	0·0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY,	44,700	16	43	19	0	3	22	25·7	0·0	3	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE,	43,800	30	45	17	0	2	19	22·7	0·0	3	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK,	39,900	18	30	11	2	3	12	15·7	0·0	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	46·4	25·4	37·3	1·04	5·3	11.
12. HAMILTON,	38,400	22	44	21	1	2	22	29·9	5·4	8	8	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR,	40,300	13	26	14	4	1	11	14·3	0·0	2	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	2	...	...	...	...	...	13.
14. FALKIRK,	38,000	8	37	9	0	0	9	12·4	0·0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE,	36,300	12	31	11	2	0	9	13·0	1·4	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	45·0	30·0	38·4	1·21	6·0	15.
16. PERTH,	35,500	13	10	14	6	2	10	14·7	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	45·0	27·0	37·3	1·13	5·1	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Jan. 4, 1936,	2,545,700	883	1611	1006	111	50	945	19·4	0·6	131	422	1	2	2	4	3	13	1	5	239	11	34	46·8	25·4	38·5	1·36	...	Total 16 Towns.
Dec. 28, 1935,	2,531,500	810	788	988	96	26	918	18·9	0·7	129	406	3	1	1	2	2	18	0	8	246	11	29	47·0	12·0	36·3	0·91	...	
Jan. 5, 1935,	2,526,100	872	1505	817	104	32	745	15·4	0·8	84	320	0	2	1	14	5	13	0	2	145	11	34	57·0	33·2	45·6	0·88	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

* Including typhus fever, smallpox, dysentery, erysipelas, lethargic encephalitis and acute poliomyelitis.

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No. 2. Week ending SATURDAY, JANUARY 11, 1936. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 11th January 1936 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, those burghs which at the date of the 1931 Census had populations of over 30,000, the births of 967 living children, 476 marriages, and 987 deaths. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 919. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 19·9 per thousand, the marriage-rate 9·8, and the death-rate (corrected) 18·9.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·8 more than in the previous week, and 0·7 above the average. The marriage-rate is 23·3 less than in the previous week, but 3·8 above the average. The death-rate is 0·5 less than in the previous week, but 2·7 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 20·9 in Greenock and 20·7 in Glasgow, to 9·4 in Kirkcaldy and 10·7 in Coatbridge. Relatively high death rates occurred in Motherwell and Wishaw (20·5), in Hamilton (20·4), in Paisley (19·8) and in Ayr (19·5). In Edinburgh the rate was 18·9.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 36, and are 5 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·7 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, 2 from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 4 from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria, 23 from influenza, 1 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 2 from other epidemic diseases, of which 1 was ascribed to erysipelas and 1 to lethargic encephalitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from measles are the same, from scarlet fever 1 fewer, from whooping-cough the same, from diphtheria the same, from influenza 10 more, from cerebro-spinal fever the same, and from other epidemic diseases 3 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 227, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 4·7 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·2 less than in the previous week, but is 1·3 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 124 and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 374. The former are 7 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 48 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 31, and are 3 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for ten of the towns named in the Table was 41°·5, being 2°·9 above that for the previous week, and 2°·5 above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930. The mean rainfall was 1·60 inch.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1936. (Provisional.)	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW,	1,124,300	453	288	476	39	8	445	20·7	0·7	75	150	0	0	0	2	0	11	1	1	111	7	16	49·8	32·8	41·0	1·40	4·7	1.
2. EDINBURGH,	464,600	151	62	185	22	5	168	18·9	1·2	4	90	0	1	0	0	1	8	0	1	34	0	4	49·0	34·0	41·0	1·16	7·4	2.
3. DUNDEE,	178,700	69	35	53	2	4	55	16·1	0·3	5	26	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	11	0	2	49·0	32·0	41·2	2·02	9·9	3
4. ABERDEEN,	176,400	56	26	65	9	1	57	16·9	0·6	7	21	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	7	0	5	49·0	30·0	42·1	1·42	7·4	4.
5. PAISLEY,	89,700	31	11	39	7	2	34	19·8	0 6	7	15	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	12	0	1	49·8	34·4	41·6	1·61	4·2	5.
6. GREENOCK,	80,200	34	4	36	4	0	32	20·9	0·0	10	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	1	0	49·8	34·0	41·8	2·90	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	66,400	27	10	21	0	5	26	20·5	0·0	5	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK,	48,500	16	7	9	1	6	14	15·1	0·0	1	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY,	44,700	20	1	9	1	0	8	9·4	0·0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE,	43,800	20	16	8	0	1	9	10·7	0·0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK,	39,900	22	3	15	4	2	13	17·0	1·3	2	6	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	4	0	1	49·4	32·8	41·7	1·27	2·6	11.
12. HAMILTON,	38,400	21	3	14	0	1	15	20·4	4·1	4	4	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	7	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR,	40,300	8	4	17	3	1	15	19·5	0·0	2	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	52·0	35·0	43·0	1·02	2·6	13.
14. FALKIRK,	38 000	16	1	14	5	0	9	12·4	0·0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE,	36,300	11	3	13	4	1	10	14·4	1·4	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	1	50·0	30·0	40·6	1·32	9·1	15.
16 PERTH,	35,500	12	2	13	4	0	9	13·1	1·5	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	3	0	0	50·0	30·0	41·1	1·92	9·2	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Jan. 11, 1936,	2,545,700	967	476	987	105	37	919	18·9	0·7	124	374	0	2	1	4	3	23	1	2	227	9	31	52·0	30·0	41·5	1·60	...	Total 16 Towns.
Jan. 4, 1936,	2,545,700	883	1611	1006	111	50	945	19·4	0·6	131	422	1	2	2	4	3	13	1	5	239	11	34	48·0	25·4	38·6	1·29	...	
Jan. 12, 1935,	2,526,100	901	494	769	86	41	724	14·9	1·2	102	292	1	2	1	18	8	24	0	3	128	5	21	50·0	25·8	38·4	0·58	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

* Including typhus fever, smallpox, dysentery, erysipelas, lethargic encephalitis and acute poliomyelitis.

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No. 3. Week ending SATURDAY, JANUARY 18, 1936. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 18th January 1936 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, those burghs which at the date of the 1931 Census had populations of over 30,000, the births of 879 living children, 222 marriages, and 949 deaths. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 888. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 18·1 per thousand, the marriage-rate 4·6, and the death-rate (corrected) 18·2.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·8 less than in the previous week, and 1·2 below the average. The marriage-rate is 5·2 less than in the previous week, but 0·3 above the average. The death-rate is 0·7 less than in the previous week, but 2·1 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 22·0 in Motherwell and Wishaw and 20·2 in Greenock, to 10·5 in Kilmarnock and 13·0 in Ayr. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Dundee (19·6), in Glasgow (19·3), in Hamilton (19·0) and in Aberdeen (18·7). In Edinburgh the rate was 17·1.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 37, and are 1 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·8 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, 1 from measles, 2 from scarlet fever, 4 from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria, 20 from influenza, 2 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 5 from other epidemic diseases, of which 2 were ascribed to erysipelas, 2 to lethargic encephalitis and 1 to dysentery. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from measles are 1 fewer, from scarlet fever 1 more, from whooping-cough the same, from diphtheria the same, from influenza 3 fewer, from cerebro-spinal fever 1 more, and from other epidemic diseases 3 more.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 208, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 4·3 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·4 less than in the previous week, but is 1·1 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 112 and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 386. The former are 12 fewer than in the previous week, but the latter are 12 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 38, and are 7 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for ten of the towns named in the Table was 32°·1, being 9°·4 below that for the previous week, and 5°·7 below the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930. This is the lowest mean temperature recorded for the corresponding week of any year since 1918. The mean rainfall was 0·16 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1936. (Provisional.)	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW,	1,124,300	406	85	448	46	13	415	19·3	1·0	54	160	0	0	1	1	1	12	1	5	114	4	16	41·8	24·1	32·5	0·09	12·1	1.
2. EDINBURGH,	464,600	146	54	164	22	10	152	17·1	0·2	10	77	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	35	0	8	39·0	25·0	31·9	0·01	30·2	2.
3. DUNDEE,	178,700	60	12	70	4	1	67	19·6	0·0	13	28	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	0	4	39·0	24·0	31·8	0·15	23·9	3.
4. ABERDEEN,	176,400	59	18	67	5	1	63	18·7	1·2	6	32	0	1	0	1	0	1	1	0	8	0	3	39·0	25·0	32·4	0·47	16·4	4.
5. PAISLEY,	89,700	37	4	32	5	1	28	16·3	0·6	5	14	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	8	0	2	43·0	21·9	33·1	0·15	16·3	5.
6. GREENOCK,	80,200	26	5	30	1	2	31	20·2	2·0	4	16	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	4	1	1	42·0	25·3	33·3	0·28	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	66,400	23	6	26	0	2	28	22·0	1·6	6	10	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	6	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK,	48,500	17	6	9	0	4	13	14·0	0·0	2	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY,	44,700	17	2	12	2	2	12	14·0	1·2	3	6	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE,	43,800	20	5	10	0	3	13	15·5	0·0	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK,	39,900	19	5	7	1	2	8	10·5	2·6	1	2	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	48·0	17·4	31·5	0·28	19·9	11.
12. HAMILTON,	38,400	9	2	16	3	1	14	19·0	0·0	4	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR,	40,300	14	6	14	6	2	10	13·0	1·3	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	45·0	15·0	32·4	0·07	23·1	13.
14. FALKIRK,	38,000	7	5	18	7	0	11	15·2	0·0	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE,	36,300	9	2	12	2	2	12	17·3	0·0	1	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	40·0	21·0	30·3	0·01	18·5	15.
16. PERTH,	35,500	10	5	14	5	2	11	16·2	0·0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	40·0	22·0	31·4	0·12	18·3	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Jan. 18, 1936,	2,545,700	879	222	949	109	48	888	18·2	0·8	112	386	0	1	2	4	3	20	2	5	208	5	38	48·0	15·0	32·1	0·16	...	Total 16 Towns.
Jan. 11, 1936,	2,545,700	967	476	987	105	37	919	18·9	0·7	124	374	0	2	1	4	3	23	1	2	227	9	31	52·0	30·0	41·5	1·60	...	
Jan. 19, 1935,	2,526,100	901	211	850	99	37	788	16·3	1·2	85	333	0	3	2	15	4	31	0	2	160	5	16	53·3	19·0	39·9	0·14	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

* Including typhus fever, smallpox, dysentery, erysipelas, lethargic encephalitis and acute poliomyelitis.

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No. 4. Week ending SATURDAY, JANUARY 25, 1936. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 25th January 1936 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, those burghs which at the date of the 1931 Census had populations of over 30,000, the births of 910 living children, 238 marriages, and 927 deaths. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 864. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 18·7 per thousand, the marriage-rate 4·9, and the death-rate (corrected) 17·7.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·6 more than in the previous week, but 0·1 below the average. The marriage-rate is 0·3 more than in the previous week, but 0·3 below the average. The death-rate is 0·5 less than in the previous week, but 1·8 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 21·6 in Paisley and 20·2 in Greenock, to 10·2 in Motherwell and Wishaw and 11·8 in Perth. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Dundee (19·3), in Kirkcaldy (18·7), in Glasgow (18·2) and in Edinburgh (18·2).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 29, and are 8 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·6 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, 2 from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 2 from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, 16 from influenza, 1 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 5 from other epidemic diseases, of which 2 were ascribed to dysentery, 2 to lethargic encephalitis and 1 to erysipelas. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from measles are 1 more, from scarlet fever 1 fewer, from whooping-cough 2 fewer, from diphtheria 1 fewer, from influenza 4 fewer, from cerebro-spinal fever 1 fewer, and from other epidemic diseases the same.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 236, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 4·8 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·5 more than in the previous week, and is 1·6 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 140 and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 359. The former are 28 more than in the previous week, but the latter are 27 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 26, and are 12 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for ten of the towns named in the Table was 33°·7, being 1°·6 above that for the previous week, but 5°·6 below the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930. The mean rainfall was 1·25 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS	Population Estimated to middle of 1936. (Provisional.)	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Paratyphoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW, ...	1,124,300	431	94	416	36	11	391	18·2	0·6	69	137	0	0	1	1	0	6	1	4	120	5	10	39·9	21·7	33·7	1·20	3·6	1.
2. EDINBURGH, . . .	464,600	148	50	178	21	5	162	18·2	0·9	16	77	0	2	0	0	1	5	0	0	37	0	5	45·0	26·0	34·5	1·08	13·7	2.
3. DUNDEE, ...	178,700	67	14	72	7	1	66	19·3	0·6	19	25	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	21	0	2	42·0	21·0	33·6	1·62	13·9	3.
4. ABERDEEN, ...	176,400	74	19	68	12	0	56	16·6	0·3	7	27	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	7	0	3	42·0	14·0	32·6	1·81	17·6	4.
5. PAISLEY, ...	89,700	32	11	39	2	0	37	21·6	0·0	4	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	1	2	42·3	22·9	33·9	1·16	4·0	5.
6. GREENOCK, ...	80,200	29	7	31	0	0	31	20·2	0·0	5	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	1	41·0	27·0	35·0	1·07	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, ...	66,400	17	5	9	0	4	13	10·2	0·0	2	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	1	0	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK, . . .	48,500	13	1	10	0	4	14	15·1	1·1	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	3	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY, . . .	44,700	7	7	14	0	2	16	18·7	0·0	1	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE, . .	43,800	17	6	14	2	2	14	16·7	3·6	5	6	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	5	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK, . . .	39,900	22	3	14	1	0	13	17·0	0·0	4	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	1	43·0	16·2	33·1	1·45	7·3	11.
12. HAMILTON, ...	38,400	18	2	10	2	4	12	16·3	0·0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR, ...	40,300	8	4	16	6	0	10	13·0	0·0	2	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	47·0	23·0	35·8	0·79	5·6	13.
14. FALKIRK, ...	38,000	10	7	14	3	1	12	16·5	0·0	3	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE, . .	36,300	11	1	11	2	0	9	13·0	1·4	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	5	0	0	39·0	20·0	32·5	1·60	10·3	15.
16. PERTH, ...	35,500	6	7	11	3	0	8	11·8	0·0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	43·0	11·0	31·9	0·75	10·4	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Jan. 25, 1936,	2,545,700	910	238	927	97	34	864	17·7	0·6	140	359	0	2	1	2	2	16	1	5	236	7	26	47·0	11·0	33·7	1·25	...	Total 16 Towns.
Jan. 18, 1936,	2,545,700	879	222	949	109	48	888	18·2	0·8	112	386	0	1	2	4	3	20	2	5	208	5	38	48·0	15·0	32·1	0·16	...	
Jan. 26, 1935,	2,526,100	854	236	840	102	27	765	15·8	1·0	83	336	0	2	2	13	4	24	2	3	163	4	23	55·0	30·0	41·0	0·39	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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During the week ending 1st February 1936 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, those burghs which at the date of the 1931 Census had populations of over 30,000, the births of 948 living children, 275 marriages, and 891 deaths. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 819. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 19·5 per thousand, the marriage-rate 5·6, and the death-rate (corrected) 16·8.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·8 more than in the previous week, and 0·4 above the average. The marriage-rate is 0·7 more than in the previous week, but 1·5 below the average. The death-rate is 0·9 less than in the previous week, and 0·4 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 21·9 in Dundee and 19·9 in Kirkcaldy, to 6·8 in Hamilton and 10·1 in Dunfermline. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Paisley (18·7), in Falkirk (17·9) and in Glasgow (17·4). In Edinburgh the rate was 16·3.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 30, and are 1 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·6 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, 3 from measles, 2 from scarlet fever, 1 from whooping-cough, 6 from diphtheria, 11 from influenza, 3 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 4 from other epidemic diseases, of which 2 were ascribed to erysipelas, 1 to dysentery and 1 to lethargic encephalitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from measles are 1 more, from scarlet fever 1 more, from whooping-cough 1 fewer, from diphtheria 4 more, from influenza 5 fewer, from cerebro-spinal fever 2 more, and from other epidemic diseases 1 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 206, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 4·2 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·6 less than in the previous week, but is 0·8 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 127 and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 363. The former are 13 fewer than in the previous week, but the latter are 4 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 34, and are 8 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for ten of the towns named in the Table was 38°·3, being 4°·6 above that for the previous week, but 0°·6 below the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930. The mean rainfall was 0·52 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS	Population Estimated to middle of 1936. (Provisional.)	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW,	1,124,300	476	109	411	47	11	375	17·4	0·6	56	140	0	0	0	0	2	8	0	2	94	5	15	45·0	29·1	39·1	0·48	2·0	1.
2. EDINBURGH,	464,600	134	55	171	29	3	145	16·3	0·6	18	76	0	2	0	0	0	2	1	0	38	1	5	45·0	30·0	39·1	0·39	8·0	2.
3. DUNDEE,	178,700	63	18	74	2	3	75	21·9	0·3	17	40	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	26	0	5	42·0	30·0	35·8	0·36	1·3	3.
4. ABERDEEN,	176,400	67	22	59	7	1	53	15·7	1·5	4	26	0	1	1	1	2	0	0	0	10	0	0	46·0	28·0	38·4	0·22	7·7	4.
5. PAISLEY,	89,700	35	14	32	3	3	32	18·7	1·2	9	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	8	4	0	45·3	27·9	39·2	0·59	2·0	5.
6. GREENOCK,	80,200	25	12	25	1	1	25	16·3	0·7	8	7	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	45·0	30·0	39·6	1·12	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	66,400	27	2	19	0	1	20	15·7	0·8	4	9	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	4	0	3	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK,	48,500	7	5	11	2	6	15	16·2	0·0	3	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY,	44,700	9	5	16	1	2	17	19·9	0·0	3	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE,	43,800	18	3	10	0	0	10	11·9	0·0	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK,	39,900	20	4	7	1	3	9	11·8	0·0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	46·0	26·0	39·6	0·47	5·6	11.
12. HAMILTON,	38,400	13	4	6	2	1	5	6·8	2·7	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR,	40,300	21	4	11	4	2	9	11·7	1·3	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	2	48·0	31·0	40·5	0·71	7·1	13.
14. FALKIRK,	38,000	10	4	15	3	1	13	17·9	0·0	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE,	36,300	12	7	9	2	0	7	10·1	0·0	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	45·0	27·0	37·2	0·41	1·1	15.
16. PERTH,	35,500	11	7	15	6	0	9	13·3	0·0	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	41·0	26·0	34·6	0·41	1·1	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Feb. 1, 1936,	**2,545,700**	**948**	**275**	**891**	**110**	**38**	**819**	**16·8**	**0·6**	**127**	**363**	**0**	**3**	**2**	**1**	**6**	**11**	**3**	**4**	**206**	**11**	**34**	**48·0**	**26·0**	**38·3**	**0·52**	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
Jan. 25, 1936,	2,545,700	910	238	927	97	34	864	17·7	0·6	140	359	0	2	1	2	2	16	1	5	236	7	26	47·0	11·0	33·7	1·25	...	
Feb. 2, 1935,	2,526,100	866	340	867	104	32	795	16·4	1·2	96	353	0	3	3	16	6	23	3	2	140	7	27	57·0	26·0	39·4	0·56	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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During the week ending 8th February 1936 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, those burghs which at the date of the 1931 Census had populations of over 30,000, the births of 918 living children, 354 marriages, and 878 deaths. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 785. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 18·9 per thousand, the marriage-rate 7·3, and the death-rate (corrected) 16·1.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·6 less than in the previous week, and 0·1 below the average. The marriage-rate is 1·7 more than in the previous week, and 1·5 above the average. The death-rate is 0·7 less than in the previous week, and 0·1 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 24·6 in Ayr and 24·5 in Dunfermline, to 8·2 in Paisley and 13·7 in Greenock. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Kirkcaldy (23·4), in Coatbridge (21·5), in Kilmarnock (21·0), in Dundee (19·9), in Hamilton (19·0) and in Perth (17·7). In Glasgow the rate was 15·5 and in Edinburgh 14·5.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 25, and are 5 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·5 per thousand. They include 1 from typhoid fever, 1 from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 2 from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, 11 from influenza, 2 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 5 from other epidemic diseases, of which 4 were ascribed to erysipelas and 1 to dysentery. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from typhoid fever are 1 more, from measles 2 fewer, from scarlet fever 1 fewer, from whooping-cough 1 more, from diphtheria 4 fewer, from influenza the same, from cerebro-spinal fever 1 fewer, and from other epidemic diseases 1 more.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 169, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 3·5 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·7 less than in the previous week, but is 0·3 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 116 and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 352. The former are 11 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 11 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 29, and are 5 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for ten of the towns named in the Table was 34°·3, being 4°·0 below that for the previous week, and 4°·4 below the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930. This is the lowest mean temperature recorded for the corresponding week of any year since 1919. The mean rainfall was 0·12 inch.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1936. (Provisional.)	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW,	1,124,300	416	168	382	54	6	334	15·5	0·3	48	138	0	0	0	1	0	4	1	1	85	6	9	42·7	26·3	35·2	0·07	18·7	1.
2. EDINBURGH,	464,600	134	67	154	26	1	129	14·5	0·9	16	61	0	0	0	0	1	4	0	3	24	2	5	43·0	26·0	34·9	0·20	17·1	2.
3. DUNDEE,	178,700	79	18	71	5	2	68	19·9	0·3	12	34	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	16	0	4	41·0	21·0	32·2	0·01	28·8	3
4. ABERDEEN,	176,400	59	20	66	12	2	56	16·6	0·9	9	29	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	8	0	4	42·0	16·0	34·1	0·19	25·4	4.
5. PAISLEY,	89,700	29	17	18	5	1	14	8·2	0·6	2	5	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	3	0	0	42·8	25·6	35·7	0·08	14·1	5.
6. GREENOCK,	80,200	28	10	22	2	1	21	13·7	0·7	3	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	2	46·2	27·0	35·1	0·08	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	66,400	35	5	17	0	3	20	15·7	0·0	4	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	3	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK,	48,500	19	8	10	1	6	15	16·2	1·1	2	5	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	3	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY,	44,700	14	7	18	0	2	20	23·4	1·2	3	11	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE,	43,800	17	5	15	0	3	18	21·5	1·2	6	8	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	6	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK,	39,900	16	5	19	3	0	16	21·0	0·0	2	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	44·0	19·0	35·3	0·19	23·3	11.
12. HAMILTON,	38,400	17	8	12	2	4	14	19·0	0·0	2	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR,	40,300	13	3	22	7	4	19	24·6	0·0	2	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	45·0	22·0	35·1	0·33	26·6	13.
14. FALKIRK,	38,000	23	2	14	3	1	12	16·5	0·0	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE,	36,300	12	4	22	5	0	17	24·5	0·0	2	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	43·0	22·0	33·4	0·05	20·9	15.
16. PERTH,	35,500	7	7	16	4	0	12	17·7	1·5	1	8	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	40·0	20·0	31·3	0·00	18·8	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Feb. 8, 1936,	2,545,700	918	354	878	129	36	785	16·1	0·5	116	352	1	1	1	2	2	11	2	5	169	8	29	46·2	16·0	34·3	0·12	...	Total 16 Towns.
Feb. 1, 1936,	2,545,700	948	275	891	110	38	819	16·8	0·6	127	363	0	3	2	1	6	11	3	4	206	11	34	48·0	26·0	38·3	0·52	...	
Feb. 9, 1935,	2,526,100	926	310	865	95	34	804	16·6	1·1	111	345	0	2	2	18	6	22	1	4	150	7	32	50·0	22·0	38·0	0·17	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

* Including typhus fever, smallpox, dysentery, erysipelas, lethargic encephalitis and acute poliomyelitis.

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During the week ending 15th February 1936 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, those burghs which at the date of the 1931 Census had populations of over 30,000, the births of 913 living children, 274 marriages, and 872 deaths. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 815. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 18·8 per thousand, the marriage-rate 5·6, and the death-rate (corrected) 16·7.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·1 less than in the previous week, and 0·7 below the average. The marriage-rate is 1·7 less than in the previous week, but 0·3 above the average. The death-rate is 0·6 more than in the previous week, and 0·1 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 25·1 in Perth and 19·4 in Clydebank, to 9·6 in Falkirk and 10·4 in Ayr. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Greenock (18·9), in Kilmarnock (18·3), in Dundee (18·1), in Edinburgh (18·0) and in Hamilton (17·7). In Glasgow the rate was 16·9.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 35, and are 10 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·7 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, 7 from measles, 2 from scarlet fever, 2 from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria, 14 from influenza, 1 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 6 from other epidemic diseases, of which 4 were ascribed to erysipelas and 2 to dysentery. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from measles are 6 more, from scarlet fever 1 more, from whooping-cough the same, from diphtheria 1 more, from influenza 3 more, from cerebro-spinal fever 1 fewer, and from other epidemic diseases 1 more.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 175, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 3·6 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·1 more than in the previous week, but is the same as the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 101 and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 369. The former are 15 fewer than in the previous week, but the latter are 17 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 26, and are 3 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for ten of the towns named in the Table was 33°·1, being 1°·2 below that for the previous week, and 5°·3 below the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930. The mean rainfall was 0·10 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1936. (Provisional.)	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW,	1,124,300	428	118	405	50	8	363	16·9	0·6	52	151	0	3	1	0	2	4	0	3	85	2	11	39·3	19·1	32·3	0·05	14·6	1.
2. EDINBURGH,	464,600	146	57	176	21	5	160	18·0	0·8	14	77	0	4	0	0	0	3	0	0	35	3	6	44·0	24·0	33·2	0·06	25·8	2.
3. DUNDEE,	178,700	53	19	65	4	1	62	18·1	1·2	6	33	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	1	9	0	1	38·0	20·0	32·8	0·24	16·4	3.
4. ABERDEEN,	176,400	65	20	57	10	1	48	14·2	1·2	5	21	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	2	9	0	4	43·0	24·0	35·2	0·02	14·8	4.
5. PAISLEY,	89,700	26	7	33	4	0	29	16·9	0·6	3	18	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	4	2	2	40·4	20·6	33·1	0·09	10·0	5.
6. GREENOCK,	80,200	36	8	29	1	1	29	18·9	1·3	3	13	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	8	0	0	41·8	23·8	33·7	0·12	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	66,400	15	5	9	0	5	14	11·0	1·6	1	6	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	4	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK,	48,500	16	5	7	0	11	18	19·4	0·0	5	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY,	44,700	14	5	9	0	4	13	15·2	0·0	2	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE,	43,800	21	4	11	1	2	12	14·3	0·0	3	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK,	39,900	18	4	13	3	4	14	18·3	0·0	2	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	44·6	16·0	34·0	0·10	29·2	11.
12. HAMILTON,	38,400	15	5	11	1	3	13	17·7	1·4	1	8	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR,	40,300	14	6	11	5	2	8	10·4	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	44·0	21·0	33·5	0·15	30·1	13.
14. FALKIRK,	38,000	13	5	9	2	0	7	9·6	0·0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE,	36,300	19	2	8	1	1	8	11·5	0·0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	40·0	21·0	32·6	0·04	21·1	15.
16. PERTH,	35,500	14	4	19	4	2	17	25·1	1·5	3	7	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	6	0	0	42·0	16·0	30·9	0·13	16·7	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Feb. 15, 1936,	2,545,700	913	274	872	107	50	815	16·7	0·7	101	369	0	7	2	2	3	14	1	6	175	8	26	44·6	16·0	33·1	0·10	...	Total 16 Towns.
Feb. 8, 1936,	2,545,700	918	354	878	129	36	785	16·1	0·5	116	352	1	1	1	2	2	11	2	5	169	8	29	46·2	16·0	34·3	0·12	...	
Feb. 16, 1935,	2,526,100	822	247	902	103	33	832	17·2	1·4	98	382	0	1	1	24	5	31	1	5	165	7	26	52·2	31·0	44·0	1·35	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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During the week ending 22nd February 1936 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, those burghs which at the date of the 1931 Census had populations of over 30,000, the births of 953 living children, 297 marriages, and 931 deaths. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 844. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 19·6 per thousand, the marriage-rate 6·1, and the death-rate (corrected) 17·3.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·8 more than in the previous week, and 0·6 above the average. The marriage-rate is 0·5 more than in the previous week, and 0·5 above the average. The death-rate is 0·6 more than in the previous week, and 0·2 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 21·8 in Hamilton and 20·6 in Perth, to 8·6 in Dunfermline and 10·8 in Clydebank. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Kirkcaldy (19·9), in Ayr (19·5), in Coatbridge (19·1), in Edinburgh (18·8) and in Glasgow (17·7).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 26, and are 9 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·5 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, 3 from measles, 4 from scarlet fever, 6 from whooping-cough, 1 from diphtheria, 8 from influenza, none from cerebro-spinal fever, and 4 from other epidemic diseases, of which 2 were ascribed to erysipelas, 1 to lethargic encephalitis and 1 to acute poliomyelitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from measles are 4 fewer, from scarlet fever 2 more, from whooping-cough 4 more, from diphtheria 2 fewer, from influenza 6 fewer, and from other epidemic diseases 2 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 177, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 3·6 per thousand. This death-rate is the same as in the previous week, but is 0·1 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 99 and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 394. The former are 2 fewer than in the previous week, but the latter are 25 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 31, and are 5 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for ten of the towns named in the Table was 39°·8, being 6°·7 above that for the previous week, and 0°·7 above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930. The mean rainfall was 1·08 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1936. (Provisional.)	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW, ...	1,124,300	430	136	419	48	10	381	17·7	0·6	39	165	0	2	4	3	0	3	0	1	81	8	13	47·3	32·0	39·8	0·82	8·9	1.
2. EDINBURGH, . . .	464,600	149	58	191	25	1	167	18·8	0·8	21	87	0	1	0	0	0	4	0	2	45	0	6	47·0	30·0	39·7	1·00	19·6	2.
3. DUNDEE, ...	178,700	65	21	57	2	2	57	16·7	0·0	6	32	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	0	2	48·0	30·0	38·9	1·46	12·7	3.
4. ABERDEEN, ...	176,400	54	21	68	15	0	53	15·7	0·0	3	27	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	0	2	48·0	25·0	39·8	1·09	11·8	4.
5. PAISLEY, ...	89,700	37	11	28	3	1	26	15·2	0·6	1	17	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	2	48·7	29·3	40·0	1·12	10·5	5.
6. GREENOCK, ...	80,200	41	8	29	3	1	27	17·6	0·0	3	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	46·0	34·6	40·2	1·82	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, ...	66,400	25	6	16	0	0	16	12·6	1·6	4	10	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	5	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK, . . .	48,500	22	7	8	1	3	10	10·8	0·0	2	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY, . . .	44,700	17	2	16	1	2	17	19·9	0·0	6	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE, . .	43,800	17	5	14	1	3	16	19·1	0·0	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK, . . .	39,900	18	5	11	1	2	12	15·7	0·0	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	1	50·2	26·8	41·1	0·70	13·4	11.
12. HAMILTON, ...	38,400	20	5	15	1	2	16	21·8	0·0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR, ...	40,300	21	4	17	4	2	15	19·5	0·0	3	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	57·0	30·0	40·9	0·41	19·1	13.
14. FALKIRK, ...	38,000	14	1	14	5	2	11	15·2	1·4	3	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE, . .	36,300	10	4	8	3	1	6	8·6	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	48·0	31·0	39·8	1·03	9·6	15.
16. PERTH, ...	35,500	13	3	20	6	0	14	20·6	2·9	3	5	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	48·0	26·0	38·1	1·33	10·4	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Feb. 22, 1936,	2,545,700	953	297	931	119	32	844	17·3	0·5	99	394	0	3	4	6	1	8	0	4	177	10	31	57·0	25·0	39·8	1·08	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
Feb. 15, 1936,	2,545,700	913	274	872	107	50	815	16·7	0·7	101	369	0	7	2	2	3	14	1	6	175	8	26	44·6	16·0	33·1	0·10	...	
Feb. 23, 1935,	2,526,200	896	263	820	86	35	769	15·9	1·3	74	355	1	1	6	12	7	34	0	2	149	3	25	54·0	28·2	43·8	1·11	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

* Including typhus fever, smallpox, dysentery, erysipelas, lethargic encephalitis and acute poliomyelitis.

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During the week ending 29th February 1936 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, those burghs which at the date of the 1931 Census had populations of over 30,000, the births of 939 living children, 339 marriages, and 902 deaths. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 823. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 19·3 per thousand, the marriage-rate 7·0, and the death-rate (corrected) 16·9.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·3 less than in the previous week, but is the same as the average. The marriage-rate is 0·9 more than in the previous week, but 0·5 below the average. The death-rate is 0·4 less than in the previous week, but is the same as the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 19·4 in Edinburgh and 19·0 in Dundee, to 8·2 in Hamilton and 8·4 in Coatbridge. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Dunfermline (18·7), in Ayr (18·2), in Falkirk (17·9) in Kirkcaldy (17·5) and in Aberdeen (17·2). In Glasgow the rate was 16·9.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 29, and are 3 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·6 per thousand. They include 1 from typhoid fever, 6 from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 1 from whooping-cough, 6 from diphtheria, 3 from influenza, 2 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 9 from other epidemic diseases, of which 7 were ascribed to erysipelas, 1 to dysentery and 1 to lethargic encephalitis Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from typhoid fever are 1 more, from measles 3 more, from scarlet fever 3 fewer, from whooping-cough 5 fewer, from diphtheria 5 more, from influenza 5 fewer, from cerebro-spinal fever 2 more, and from other epidemic diseases 5 more.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 136, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·8 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·8 less than in the previous week, and is 0·8 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 97 and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 336. The former are 2 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 58 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 28, and are 3 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for ten of the towns named in the Table was 38°·7, being 1°·1 below that for the previous week, and 1°·5 below the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930. The mean rainfall was 1·01 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 29, 1936.

TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1936. (Provisional.)	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW, ...	1,124,300	447	160	404	50	9	363	16·9	0·6	42	143	0	3	0	1	2	2	1	3	72	10	7	46·3	34·3	38·9	0·60	2·6	1.
2. EDINBURGH, . . .	464,600	147	52	191	23	4	172	19·4	0·7	26	70	0	1	0	0	2	1	0	2	34	2	7	47·0	33·0	37·6	1·04	3·3	2.
3. DUNDEE, ...	178,700	74	31	66	4	3	65	19·0	1·2	6	31	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	1	7	0	3	48·0	32·0	38·3	1·86	2·0	3.
4. ABERDEEN, ...	176,400	59	25	73	17	2	58	17·2	0·6	3	27	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	5	0	5	50·0	32·0	38·8	0·61	7·3	4.
5. PAISLEY, ...	89,700	26	13	26	4	1	23	13·4	0·0	3	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	49·1	34·4	39·4	0·52	4·2	5.
6. GREENOCK, ...	80,200	40	14	28	3	1	26	16·9	0·0	5	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	45·8	32·6	39·0	1·41	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, ...	66,400	24	7	15	0	3	18	14·2	0·0	2	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK, . . .	48,500	20	3	5	0	6	11	11·9	0·0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY, . . .	44,700	14	2	15	1	1	15	17·5	0·0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE, . .	43,800	13	5	7	0	0	7	8·4	0·0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK, . . .	39,900	16	5	8	3	4	9	11·8	2·6	2	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	47·0	34·4	39·5	0·50	4·7	11.
12. HAMILTON, ...	38,400	15	9	3	1	4	6	8·2	1·4	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR, ...	40,300	8	6	16	5	3	14	18·2	0·0	5	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	47·0	34·0	40·0	0·47	6·0	13.
14. FALKIRK, ...	38,000	20	2	15	3	1	13	17·9	2·8	1	6	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE, . .	36,300	7	3	14	2	1	13	18·7	0·0	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	47·0	33·0	37·9	1·73	1·2	15.
16. PERTH, ...	35,500	9	2	16	6	0	10	14·7	0·0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	49·0	33·0	38·0	1·36	3·1	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Feb. 29, 1936,	2,545,700	939	339	902	122	43	823	16·9	0·6	97	336	1	6	1	1	6	3	2	9	136	14	28	50·0	32·0	38·7	1·01	...	Total 16 Towns.
Feb. 22, 1936,	2,545,700	953	297	931	119	32	844	17·3	0·5	99	394	0	3	4	6	1	8	0	4	177	10	31	57·0	25·0	39·8	1·08	...	
Mar. 2, 1935,	2,526,200	917	415	894	96	38	836	17·3	1·2	119	336	0	4	3	12	6	25	2	5	125	9	31	49·8	18·0	36·4	0·67	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

* Including typhus fever, smallpox, dysentery, erysipelas, lethargic encephalitis and acute poliomyelitis.

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No. 10. Week ending SATURDAY, MARCH 7, 1936. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 7th March 1936 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, those burghs which at the date of the 1931 Census had populations of over 30,000, the births of 897 living children, 351 marriages, and 883 deaths. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 807. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 18·4 per thousand, the marriage-rate 7·2, and the death-rate (corrected) 16·6.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·9 less than in the previous week, and 1·6 below the average. The marriage-rate is 0·2 more than in the previous week, and 1·5 above the average. The death-rate is 0·3 less than in the previous week, but 0·1 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 24·6 in Ayr and 19·4 in Clydebank, to 11·0 in Falkirk and 11·1 in Greenock. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Dundee (19·0), in Edinburgh (18·9), in Perth (17·7) and in Aberdeen (17·5). In Glasgow the rate was 16·4.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 44, and are 15 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·9 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, 8 from measles, none from scarlet fever, 5 from whooping-cough, 4 from diphtheria, 19 from influenza, 3 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 5 from other epidemic diseases, of which 4 were ascribed to erysipelas and 1 to dysentery. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from measles are 2 more, from whooping-cough 4 more, from diphtheria 2 fewer, from influenza 16 more, from cerebro-spinal fever 1 more, and from other epidemic diseases 4 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 139, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·9 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·1 more than in the previous week, but is 0·5 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 96 and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 334. The former are 1 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 2 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 35, and are 7 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for ten of the towns named in the Table was 38°·3, being 0°·4 below that for the previous week, and 1°·3 below the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930. The mean rainfall was 0·66 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1936. (Provisional.)	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW,	1,124,300	419	167	385	41	8	352	16·4	1·0	45	129	0	5	0	4	0	8	2	3	62	3	11	48·3	31·8	39·3	0·83	14·6	1.
2. EDINBURGH,	464,600	132	73	201	35	2	168	18·9	1·2	13	80	0	2	0	0	1	7	1	0	33	0	11	49·0	29·0	37·6	0·12	15·8	2.
3. DUNDEE,	178,700	65	18	71	8	2	65	19·0	0·9	9	38	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	14	1	1	51·0	27·0	37·0	0·32	13·8	3.
4. ABERDEEN,	176,400	48	23	64	7	2	59	17·5	0·9	6	26	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	11	0	6	48·0	27·0	36·9	0·20	19·8	4.
5. PAISLEY,	89,700	26	11	21	2	3	22	12·8	0·6	2	9	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	51·4	30·8	39·8	1·07	15·1	5.
6. GREENOCK,	80,200	37	9	21	4	0	17	11·1	0·0	2	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	48·0	32·0	39·3	1·70	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	66,400	30	6	14	0	2	16	12·6	0·0	4	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK,	48,500	24	5	9	1	10	18	19·4	0·0	5	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY,	44,700	15	4	12	1	2	13	15·2	2·3	1	5	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE,	43,800	15	3	9	0	2	11	13·1	0·0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK,	39,900	22	6	11	3	2	10	13·1	0·0	5	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	50·4	28·4	38·7	0·94	17·2	11.
12. HAMILTON,	38,400	23	10	9	0	0	9	12·2	1·4	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR,	40,300	13	3	22	4	1	19	24·6	0·0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	49·0	30·0	39·2	0·63	15·9	13.
14. FALKIRK,	38,000	14	3	10	3	1	8	11·0	1·4	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE,	36,300	7	6	9	3	2	8	11·5	0·0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	50·0	28·0	37·5	0·44	10·9	15.
16. PERTH,	35,500	7	4	15	3	0	12	17·7	0·0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	52·0	25·0	37·6	0·37	15·2	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Mar. 7, 1936,	2,545,700	897	351	883	115	39	807	16·6	0·9	96	334	0	8	0	5	4	19	3	5	139	4	35	52·0	25·0	38·3	0·66	...	Total 16 Towns.
Feb. 29, 1936,	2,545,700	939	339	902	122	43	823	16·9	0·6	97	336	1	6	1	1	6	3	2	9	136	14	28	50·0	32·0	38·7	1·01	...	
Mar. 9, 1935,	2,526,200	989	373	798	85	35	748	15·4	1·3	87	316	0	0	2	13	6	37	0	4	154	8	26	56·0	28·0	41·0	0·31	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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No. 11. Week ending SATURDAY, MARCH 14, 1936. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 14th March 1936 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, those burghs which at the date of the 1931 Census had populations of over 30,000, the births of 936 living children, 259 marriages, and 851 deaths. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 791. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 19·2 per thousand, the marriage-rate 5·3, and the death-rate (corrected) 16·2.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·8 more than in the previous week, but 0·4 below the average. The marriage-rate is 1·9 less than in the previous week, but 0·4 above the average. The death-rate is 0·4 less than in the previous week, and 0·5 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 23·1 in Hamilton and 17·9 in Falkirk, to 8·6 in Dunfermline and 9·4 in Kirkcaldy. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Glasgow (17·7), in Edinburgh (17·3), in Greenock (16·9) and in Coatbridge (16·7).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 46, and are 2 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·9 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, 7 from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 9 from whooping-cough, 4 from diphtheria, 13 from influenza, 2 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 10 from other epidemic diseases, of which 6 were ascribed to erysipelas, 3 to lethargic encephalitis and 1 to dysentery. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from measles are 1 fewer, from scarlet fever 1 more, from whooping-cough 4 more, from diphtheria the same, from influenza 6 fewer, from cerebro-spinal fever 1 fewer, and from other epidemic diseases 5 more.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 137, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·8 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·1 less than in the previous week, and is 0·9 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 92 and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 323. The former are 4 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 11 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 27, and are 8 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for ten of the towns named in the Table was 39°·3, being 1°·0 above that for the previous week, but 1°·7 below the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930. The mean rainfall was 0·46 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1936. (Provisional.)	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Principal Epidemic Diseases. Measles.	Principal Epidemic Diseases. Scarlet Fever.	Principal Epidemic Diseases. Whooping-cough.	Principal Epidemic Diseases. Diphtheria.	Principal Epidemic Diseases. Influenza.	Principal Epidemic Diseases. Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Principal Epidemic Diseases. *Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW, ...	1,124,300	413	109	412	45	13	380	17·7	0·9	46	135	0	5	0	2	1	6	1	4	77	7	14	48·6	32·8	39·9	0·14	3·2	1.
2. EDINBURGH, . . .	464,600	131	53	174	21	1	154	17·3	1·2	12	80	0	2	0	1	1	3	1	3	21	1	8	51·0	33·0	38·6	1·15	11·9	2.
3. DUNDEE, ...	178,700	66	17	56	4	1	53	15·5	0·6	6	25	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	7	0	1	47·0	29·0	38·6	0·54	8·1	3.
4. ABERDEEN, ...	176,400	60	22	48	9	1	40	11·9	1·8	8	14	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	2	5	1	0	45·0	28·0	38·9	0·72	12·3	4.
5. PAISLEY, ...	89,700	42	5	22	5	1	18	10·5	0·0	3	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	1	0	50·7	32·0	40·3	0·21	5·2	5.
6. GREENOCK, ...	80,200	56	5	27	1	0	26	16·9	0·7	1	12	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	3	0	1	49·3	33·8	40·0	0·08	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, ...	66,400	25	6	18	0	1	19	15·0	0·8	5	9	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	4	1	0	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK, . . .	48,500	21	5	8	0	4	12	12·9	0·0	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY, . . .	44,700	15	7	7	0	1	8	9·4	0·0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE, . .	43,800	25	1	10	0	4	14	16·7	1·2	2	5	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	3	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK, . . .	39,900	21	4	10	2	3	11	14·4	3·9	2	2	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	2	1	0	50·0	27·0	39·3	0·22	8·2	11.
12. HAMILTON, ...	38,400	14	4	13	0	4	17	23·1	1·4	3	5	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR, ...	40,300	13	5	15	5	2	12	15·6	0·0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	50·0	32·0	40·1	0·07	5·6	13.
14. FALKIRK, ...	38,000	13	6	14	2	1	13	17·9	0·0	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE, . .	36,300	14	7	6	1	1	6	8·6	1·4	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	46·0	30·0	38·3	0·68	4·5	15.
16. PERTH, ...	35,500	7	3	11	4	1	8	11·8	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	48·0	31·0	38·8	0·78	1·6	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Mar. 14, 1936,	2,545,700	936	259	851	99	39	791	16·2	0·9	92	323	0	7	1	9	4	13	2	10	137	12	27	51·0	27·0	39·3	0·46	...	Total 16 Towns.
Mar. 7, 1936,	2,545,700	897	351	883	115	39	807	16·6	0·9	96	334	0	8	0	5	4	19	3	5	139	4	35	52·0	25·0	38·3	0·66	...	
Mar. 16, 1935,	2,526,200	935	265	900	105	27	822	17·0	1·9	106	314	1	1	1	23	9	56	0	2	174	8	24	50·0	27·0	40·0	0·05	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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No. 12. Week ending SATURDAY, MARCH 21, 1936. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 21st March 1936 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, those burghs which at the date of the 1931 Census had populations of over 30,000, the births of 961 living children, 213 marriages, and 807 deaths. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 736. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 19·7 per thousand, the marriage-rate 4·4, and the death-rate (corrected) 15·1.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·5 more than in the previous week, but 0·7 below the average. The marriage-rate is 0·9 less than in the previous week, and 0·6 below the average. The death-rate is 1·1 less than in the previous week, and 1·2 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 20·2 in Dunfermline and 19·7 in Kilmarnock, to 6·8 in Hamilton and 8·8 in Perth. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Coatbridge (19·1), in Paisley (18·7), in Clydebank (18·3) and in Edinburgh (16·7). In Glasgow the rate was 15·1.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 32, and are 14 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·7 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, 13 from measles, none from scarlet fever, 2 from whooping-cough, 5 from diphtheria, 4 from influenza, 2 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 6 from other epidemic diseases, of which 5 were ascribed to erysipelas and 1 to lethargic encephalitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from measles are 6 more, from whooping-cough 7 fewer, from diphtheria 1 more, from influenza 9 fewer, from cerebro-spinal fever the same, and from other epidemic diseases 4 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 122, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·5 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·3 less than in the previous week, and is 0·9 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 94 and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 309. The former are 2 more than in the previous week, but the latter are 14 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 23, and are 4 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for ten of the towns named in the Table was 45°·8, being 6°·5 above that for the previous week, and 5°·0 above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930. The mean rainfall was 0·20 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1936. (Provisional.)	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW, ...	1,124,300	470	101	369	54	9	324	15·1	0·9	47	117	0	5	0	2	3	4	1	5	58	8	11	60·2	35·7	46·5	0·11	8·6	1.
2. EDINBURGH, . . .	464,600	158	41	173	27	2	148	16·7	0·5	25	75	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	20	1	3	60·0	33·0	45·6	0·11	20·7	2.
3. DUNDEE, ...	178,700	52	8	43	6	3	40	11·7	0·3	3	21	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	1	54·0	28·0	43·3	0·37	12·2	3.
4. ABERDEEN, ...	176,400	60	24	55	9	1	47	13·9	0·0	2	35	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	1	55·0	32·0	44·1	0·12	12·9	4.
5. PAISLEY, ...	89,700	31	6	32	3	3	32	18·7	0·0	3	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	1	62·6	34·8	47·9	0·19	8·2	5.
6. GREENOCK, ...	80,200	29	6	19	0	1	20	13·0	0·0	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	62·0	36·8	47·1	0·31	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, ...	66,400	28	5	18	0	3	21	16·5	1·6	0	4	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	3	0	2	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK, . . .	48,500	16	2	6	0	11	17	18·3	3·2	5	3	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	6	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY, . . .	44,700	14	0	12	1	2	13	15·2	1·2	1	7	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE, . .	43,800	20	2	11	0	5	16	19·1	0·0	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK, . . .	39,900	18	5	14	3	4	15	19·7	0·0	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	62·4	31·8	46·9	0·30	12·9	11.
12. HAMILTON, ...	38,400	18	3	5	0	0	5	6·8	0·0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR, ...	40,300	19	3	19	8	0	11	14·3	0·0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	61·0	34·0	44·9	0·15	12·6	13.
14. FALKIRK, ...	38,000	11	2	9	4	2	7	9·6	0·0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE, . .	36,300	10	2	14	2	2	14	20·2	1·4	1	5	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	60·0	30·0	44·8	0·11	13·2	15.
16. PERTH, ...	35,500	7	3	8	2	0	6	8·8	0·0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	63·0	29·0	46·4	0·24	11·1	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Mar. 21, 1936,	2,545,700	961	213	807	119	48	736	15·1	0·7	94	309	0	13	0	2	5	4	2	6	122	9	23	63·0	28·0	45·8	0·20	...	Total 16 Towns.
week ending, Mar. 14, 1936,	2,545,700	936	259	851	99	39	791	16·2	0·9	92	323	0	7	1	9	4	13	2	10	137	12	27	51·0	27·0	39·3	0·46	...	
week ending, Mar. 23, 1935,	2,526,200	991	235	970	92	32	910	18·8	2·3	126	367	0	2	3	23	17	62	1	2	199	10	32	60·0	35·0	47·0	0·37	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

* Including typhus fever, smallpox, dysentery, erysipelas, lethargic encephalitis and acute poliomyelitis.

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No. 13. Week ending SATURDAY, MARCH 28, 1936. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 28th March 1936 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, those burghs which at the date of the 1931 Census had populations of over 30,000, the births of 995 living children, 277 marriages, and 807 deaths. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 733. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 20·4 per thousand, the marriage-rate 5·7, and the death-rate (corrected) 15·1.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·7 more than in the previous week, and 0·6 above the average. The marriage-rate is 1·3 more than in the previous week, but 1·4 below the average. The death-rate is the same as in the previous week, but 0·3 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 20·4 in Hamilton and 16·9 in Ayr, to 9·5 in Coatbridge and 9·7 in Clydebank. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Glasgow (16·5), in Greenock (16·3), in Dunfermline (15·9) and in Motherwell and Wishaw (15·7). In Edinburgh the rate was 15·1.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 46, and are 14 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·9 per thousand. They include 2 from typhoid fever, 18 from measles, none from scarlet fever, 3 from whooping-cough, 4 from diphtheria, 8 from influenza, 6 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 5 from other epidemic diseases, of which 4 were ascribed to erysipelas and 1 to lethargic encephalitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from typhoid fever are 2 more, from measles 5 more, from whooping-cough 1 more, from diphtheria 1 fewer, from influenza 4 more, from cerebro-spinal fever 4 more, and from other epidemic diseases 1 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 125, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·6 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·1 more than in the previous week, but is 0·4 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 87 and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 297. The former are 7 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 12 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 28, and are 5 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for ten of the towns named in the Table was 46°·1, being 0°·3 above that for the previous week, and 3°·8 above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930. The mean rainfall was 0·42 inch.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1936. (Provisional.)	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Principal Epidemic Diseases. Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW,	1,124,300	452	113	379	39	14	354	16·5	1·3	50	125	2	11	0	2	2	3	5	3	68	4	12	60·5	39·2	47·1	0·88	1·7	1.
2. EDINBURGH,	464,600	156	60	154	22	2	134	15·1	0·7	10	64	0	3	0	0	2	0	0	1	25	1	6	59·0	38·0	45·4	0·22	12·2	2.
3. DUNDEE,	178,700	60	16	59	12	0	47	13·8	0·9	3	21	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	53·0	38·0	43·4	0·40	11·3	3.
4. ABERDEEN,	176,400	64	23	51	14	2	39	11·6	0·0	6	23	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	2	52·0	39·0	43·1	0·11	10·1	4.
5. PAISLEY,	89,700	47	10	24	5	0	19	11·1	1·7	1	9	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	2	0	0	62·0	39·4	47·7	0·58	4·2	5.
6. GREENOCK,	80,200	29	8	24	1	2	25	16·3	1·3	1	12	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	4	0	1	59·0	39·2	47·1	0·96	6·5	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	66,400	28	8	19	0	1	20	15·7	0·0	3	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	0	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK,	48,500	22	6	6	0	3	9	9·7	0·0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY,	44,700	10	6	10	2	3	11	12·9	1·2	1	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE,	43,800	25	2	5	0	3	8	9·5	0·0	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK,	39,900	16	7	9	1	2	10	13·1	1·3	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	1	64·2	40·0	48·5	0·21	9·8	11.
12. HAMILTON,	38,400	28	1	12	1	4	15	20·4	1·4	6	5	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR,	40,300	22	6	17	5	1	13	16·9	1·3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	1	64·0	40·0	48·7	0·20	8·0	13.
14. FALKIRK,	38,000	18	2	16	5	0	11	15·2	0·0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE,	36,300	7	3	14	4	1	11	15·9	0·0	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	57·0	38·0	44·6	0·34	8·7	15.
16. PERTH,	35,500	11	6	8	1	0	7	10·3	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	58·0	39·0	45·2	0·29	8·2	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Mar. 28, 1936,	2,545,700	995	277	807	112	38	733	15·1	0·9	87	297	2	18	0	3	4	8	6	5	125	6	28	64·2	38·0	46·1	0·42	...	Total 16 Towns.
Mar. 21, 1936,	2,545,700	961	213	807	119	48	736	15·1	0·7	94	309	0	13	0	2	5	4	2	6	122	9	23	63·0	28·0	45·8	0·20	...	
Mar. 30, 1935,	2,526,200	976	267	858	101	33	790	16·3	1·9	93	315	1	0	1	21	5	62	3	1	162	10	21	63·0	32·0	46·7	0·65	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

* Including typhus fever, smallpox, dysentery, erysipelas, lethargic encephalitis and acute poliomyelitis.

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During the week ending 4th April 1936 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, those burghs which at the date of the 1931 Census had populations of over 30,000, the births of 993 living children, 337 marriages, and 780 deaths. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 721. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 20·4 per thousand, the marriage-rate 6·9, and the death-rate (corrected) 14·8.

The birth-rate of the week is the same as in the previous week, but 0·4 below the average. The marriage-rate is 1·2 more than in the previous week, but 2·5 below the average. The death-rate is 0·3 less than in the previous week, and 0·7 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 20·4 in Hamilton and 19·7 in Motherwell and Wishaw, to 6·4 in Paisley and 6·5 in Clydebank. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Ayr (18·2), in Perth (17·7), in Glasgow (16·5) and in Kirkcaldy (16·4). In Edinburgh the rate was 14·7.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 44, and are 2 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·9 per thousand. They include 1 from typhoid fever, 20 from measles, 2 from scarlet fever, 3 from whooping-cough, 4 from diphtheria, 7 from influenza, 3 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 4 from other epidemic diseases, of which 2 were ascribed to erysipelas and 2 to lethargic encephalitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from typhoid fever are 1 fewer, from measles 2 more, from scarlet fever 2 more, from whooping-cough the same, from diphtheria the same, from influenza 1 fewer, from cerebro-spinal fever 3 fewer, and from other epidemic diseases 1 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 108, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·2 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·4 less than in the previous week, and is 0·5 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 99 and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 291. The former are 12 more than in the previous week, but the latter are 6 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 21, and are 7 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for ten of the towns named in the Table was 45°·3, being 0°·8 below that for the previous week, but 2°·2 above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930. The mean rainfall was 0·56 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1936. (Provisional.)	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW,	1,124,300	486	164	379	33	8	354	16·5	1·0	61	126	1	14	0	1	2	2	0	2	66	14	10	54·6	34·1	46·2	0·57	19·7	1.
2. EDINBURGH,	464,600	166	57	156	29	4	131	14·7	0·5	8	73	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	1	13	0	4	58·0	33·0	44·4	0·14	24·9	2.
3. DUNDEE,	178,700	74	15	44	3	3	44	12·9	0·0	4	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	2	55·0	33·0	42·9	0·64	29·0	3.
4. ABERDEEN,	176,400	64	34	48	6	0	42	12·5	1·2	6	21	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	1	6	0	0	59·0	26·0	43·6	0·51	27·8	4.
5. PAISLEY,	89,700	30	15	10	0	1	11	6·4	0·6	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	55·9	33·6	46·8	0·62	20·4	5.
6. GREENOCK,	80,200	22	10	18	1	3	20	13·0	0·7	4	8	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	3	2	1	54·7	34·8	46·7	1·07	27·3	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	66,400	22	4	22	0	3	25	19·7	1·6	2	8	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	5	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK,	48,500	15	3	5	0	1	6	6·5	1·1	1	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY,	44,700	15	5	13	0	1	14	16·4	2·3	1	8	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE,	43,800	23	6	5	0	2	7	8·4	0·0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK,	39,900	16	4	12	3	1	10	13·1	1·3	2	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	1	58·0	28.6	47·0	0·68	26·7	11.
12. HAMILTON,	38,400	12	4	14	1	2	15	20·4	4·1	3	2	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR,	40,300	13	4	17	5	2	14	18·2	1·3	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	57·0	28·0	46·0	0·35	28·2	13.
14. FALKIRK,	38,000	16	5	12	5	1	8	11·0	0·0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE,	36,300	4	6	9	3	2	8	11·5	2·9	0	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	55·0	33·0	44·9	0·77	25·6	15.
16. PERTH,	35,500	15	1	16	4	0	12	17·7	0·0	3	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	57·0	28·0	44·3	0·28	22·7	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Apr. 4, 1936,	2,545,700	993	337	780	93	34	721	14·8	0·9	99	291	1	20	2	3	4	7	3	4	108	16	21	59·0	26·0	45·3	0·56	...	Total 16 Towns.
Mar. 28, 1936,	2,545,700	995	277	807	112	38	733	15·1	0·9	87	297	2	18	0	3	4	8	6	5	125	6	28	64·2	38·0	46·1	0·42	...	
Apr. 6, 1935,	2,526,200	927	376	753	81	30	702	14·5	1·3	89	286	0	1	1	20	3	25	7	8	116	9	25	61·0	28·0	41·9	0·16	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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During the week ending 11th April 1936 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, those burghs which at the date of the 1931 Census had populations of over 30,000, the births of 932 living children, 355 marriages, and 741 deaths. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 681. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 19·1 per thousand, the marriage-rate 7·3, and the death-rate (corrected) 14·0.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·3 less than in the previous week, and 0·5 below the average. The marriage-rate is 0·4 more than in the previous week, but 0·5 below the average. The death-rate is 0·8 less than in the previous week, and 0·5 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 20·7 in Falkirk and 17·3 in Clydebank, to 5·9 in Perth and 9·1 in Ayr. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Glasgow (15·9), in Dunfermline (15·9) and in Greenock (15·6). In Edinburgh the rate was 12·7.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 41, and are 3 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·8 per thousand. They include 1 from typhoid fever, 24 from measles, 2 from scarlet fever, 2 from whooping-cough, 5 from diphtheria, 2 from influenza, 1 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 4 from other epidemic diseases, of which 2 were ascribed to dysentery, 1 to erysipelas and 1 to lethargic encephalitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from typhoid fever are the same, from measles 4 more, from scarlet fever the same, from whooping-cough 1 fewer, from diphtheria 1 more, from influenza 5 fewer, from cerebro-spinal fever 2 fewer, and from other epidemic diseases the same.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 93, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·9 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·3 less than in the previous week, and is 0·6 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 83 and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 276. The former are 16 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 15 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 19, and are 2 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for ten of the towns named in the Table was 43°·6, being 1°·7 below that for the previous week, and 0°·4 below the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930. The mean rainfall was 0·03 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1936. (Provisional.)	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Principal Epidemic Diseases. Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tuberculosis).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW,	1,124,300	412	146	379	47	10	342	15·9	1·4	45	125	1	19	1	0	4	1	1	4	49	5	13	57·3	31·0	44·3	0·03	23·2	1.
2. EDINBURGH,	464,600	157	60	133	21	1	113	12·7	0·3	13	55	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	16	0	1	55·0	30·0	42·7	0·05	36·9	2.
3. DUNDEE,	178,700	72	30	38	5	3	36	10·5	0·0	1	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	2	57·0	30·0	41·8	0·06	29·6	3.
4. ABERDEEN,	176,400	63	29	50	14	2	38	11·3	0·6	5	19	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	4	0	0	52·0	31·0	42·4	0·11	29·5	4.
5. PAISLEY,	89,700	32	21	17	1	2	18	10·5	0·6	2	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	61·7	29·5	45·5	0·00	30·1	5.
6. GREENOCK,	80,200	32	13	23	0	1	24	15·6	0·0	5	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	58·0	32·7	45·6	0·00	39·5	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	66,400	20	5	13	0	3	16	12·6	0·8	1	4	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK,	48,500	18	5	8	0	8	16	17·3	2·2	1	8	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY,	44,700	16	13	11	0	1	12	14·0	1·2	3	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE,	43,800	26	3	10	2	3	11	13·1	0·0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK,	39,900	18	6	5	1	4	8	10·5	0·0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	59·8	26·2	43·9	0·00	43·3	11.
12. HAMILTON,	38,400	15	3	11	1	0	10	13·6	0·0	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR,	40,300	13	4	10	4	1	7	9·1	0·0	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	57·0	28·0	43·2	0·00	48·8	13.
14. FALKIRK,	38,000	15	3	17	2	0	15	20·7	0·0	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE,	36,300	10	6	10	0	1	11	15·9	0·0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	58·0	29·0	42·5	0·04	30·9	15.
16. PERTH,	35,500	13	8	6	2	0	4	5·9	0·0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	62·0	29·0	44·0	0·00	26·1	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Apr. 11, 1936,	**2,545,700**	**932**	**355**	**741**	**100**	**40**	**681**	**14·0**	**0·8**	**83**	**276**	**1**	**24**	**2**	**2**	**5**	**2**	**1**	**4**	**93**	**8**	**19**	**62·0**	**26·2**	**43·6**	**0·03**	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
Apr. 4, 1936,	2,545,700	993	337	780	93	34	721	14·8	0·9	99	291	1	20	2	3	4	7	3	4	108	16	21	59·0	26·0	45·3	0·56	...	
Apr. 13, 1935,	2,526,200	925	388	792	93	34	733	15·1	1·2	90	315	0	0	0	15	6	32	5	1	126	7	19	58·4	26·0	42·7	1·43	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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No. 16. Week ending SATURDAY, APRIL 18, 1936. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 18th April 1936 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, those burghs which at the date of the 1931 Census had populations of over 30,000, the births of 1050 living children, 723 marriages, and 731 deaths. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 671. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 21·6 per thousand, the marriage-rate 14·8, and the death-rate (corrected) 13·8.

The birth-rate of the week is 2·5 more than in the previous week, and 0·8 above the average. The marriage-rate is 7·5 more than in the previous week, and 7·4 above the average. The death-rate is 0·2 less than in the previous week, and 0·5 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 18·7 in Dunfermline and 16·3 in Aberdeen, to 5·2 in Ayr and 9·5 in Hamilton. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Greenock (15·6), in Coatbridge (15·5) and in Glasgow (14·9). In Edinburgh the rate was 11·5.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 42, and are 1 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·9 per thousand. They include 1 from typhoid fever, 19 from measles, 2 from scarlet fever, 7 from whooping-cough, 4 from diphtheria, 4 from influenza, 1 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 4 from other epidemic diseases, all of which were ascribed to erysipelas. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from typhoid fever are the same, from measles 5 fewer, from scarlet fever the same, from whooping-cough 5 more, from diphtheria 1 fewer, from influenza 2 more, from cerebro-spinal fever the same, and from other epidemic diseases the same.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 93, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·9 per thousand. This death-rate is the same as in the previous week, but is 0·5 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 79 and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 263. The former are 4 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 13 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 34, and are 15 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 39°·8, being 3°·8 below that for the previous week, and 4°·6 below the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930. This is the lowest mean temperature recorded for the corresponding week of any year since 1903, when it was 37·1. The mean rainfall was 0·15 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1936. (Provisional.)	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW,	1,124,300	493	370	350	46	17	321	14·9	1·2	50	108	1	16	1	4	2	1	1	0	43	7	14	51·4	31·8	41·1	0·07	31·7	1.
2. EDINBURGH,	464,600	165	103	118	20	4	102	11·5	0·6	6	46	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	2	15	0	4	47·0	31·0	38·2	0·40	24·9	2.
3. DUNDEE,	178,700	60	83	49	4	3	48	14·0	0·3	3	18	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	2	48·0	32·0	39·5	0·10	30·7	3.
4. ABERDEEN,	176,400	62	29	64	13	4	55	16·3	0·6	3	26	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	7	1	3	48·0	31·0	39·3	0·19	43·1	4.
5. PAISLEY,	89,700	36	21	23	4	1	20	11·7	0·6	2	10	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	1	55·9	30·1	41·5	0·03	33·3	5.
6. GREENOCK,	80,200	43	10	25	3	2	24	15·6	0·0	5	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	3	50·0	32·0	41·2	0·03	39·0	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	66,400	35	19	14	0	1	15	11·8	3·1	2	8	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK,	48,500	17	13	5	0	7	12	12·9	0·0	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY,	44,700	21	14	12	2	2	12	14·0	0·0	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE,	43,800	27	11	10	0	3	13	15·5	1·2	0	5	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK,	39,900	15	7	10	4	2	8	10·5	0·0	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	51·8	22·6	39·6	0·23	37·7	11.
12. HAMILTON,	38,400	22	14	6	0	1	7	9·5	1·4	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR,	40,300	14	10	5	1	0	4	5·2	1·3	1	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	13.
14. FALKIRK,	38,000	16	3	16	6	0	10	13·8	0·0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE,	36,300	16	7	13	1	1	13	18·7	0·0	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	50·0	29·0	38·8	0·26	26·2	15.
16. PERTH,	35,500	8	9	11	4	0	7	10·3	0·0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	53·0	22·0	39·0	0·06	28·6	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Apr. 18, 1936,	2,545,700	1050	723	731	108	48	671	13·8	0·9	79	263	1	19	2	7	4	4	1	4	93	9	34	55·9	22·0	39·8	0·15	...	Total 16 Towns.
week ending, Apr. 11, 1936,	2,545,700	932	355	741	100	40	681	14·0	0·8	83	276	1	24	2	2	5	2	1	4	93	8	19	62·0	26·2	43·6	0·03	...	
week ending, Apr. 20, 1935,	2,526,200	830	288	724	87	29	666	13·7	0·8	72	269	0	1	3	9	4	17	3	2	108	6	26	56·0	33·0	43·8	1·60	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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During the week ending 25th April 1936 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, those burghs which at the date of the 1931 Census had populations of over 30,000, the births of 973 living children, 475 marriages, and 747 deaths. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 681. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 20·0 per thousand, the marriage-rate 9·8, and the death-rate (corrected) 14·0.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·6 less than in the previous week, and 0·7 below the average. The marriage-rate is 5·0 less than in the previous week, and 0·9 below the average. The death-rate is 0·2 more than in the previous week, but 0·1 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 31·1 in Ayr and 16·4 in Dundee, to 8·4 in Coatbridge and 8·8 in Perth. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Dunfermline (15·9), in Paisley (15·7), in Glasgow (15·3), in Kirkcaldy (15·2) and in Falkirk (15·2). In Edinburgh the rate was 10·7.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 46, and are 4 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·9 per thousand. They include 1 from typhoid fever, 29 from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 3 from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, 7 from influenza, 2 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 1 from lethargic encephalitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from typhoid fever are the same, from measles 10 more, from scarlet fever 1 fewer, from whooping-cough 4 fewer, from diphtheria 2 fewer, from influenza 3 more, from cerebro-spinal fever 1 more, and from other epidemic diseases 3 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 95, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·0 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·1 more than in the previous week, but is the same as the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 72 and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 277. The former are 7 fewer than in the previous week, but the latter are 14 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 26, and are 8 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for ten of the towns named in the Table was 41°·4, being 1°·6 above that for the previous week, but 4°·5 below the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930. The mean rainfall was 0·73 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1936. (Provisional.)	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW,	1,124,300	466	176	349	36	16	329	15·3	1·6	43	122	1	24	0	2	2	6	0	0	51	4	12	56·3	29·8	42·0	0·98	41·8	1.
2. EDINBURGH,	464,600	122	102	119	28	4	95	10·7	0·1	8	43	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	5	56·0	30·0	41·0	0·90	62·5	2.
3. DUNDEE,	178,700	63	28	58	8	6	56	16·4	1·8	5	21	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	1	8	0	1	57·0	28·0	40·1	0·34	60·1	3.
4. ABERDEEN,	176,400	72	31	46	11	1	36	10·7	0·0	3	19	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	1	60·0	27·0	40·4	0·35	58·6	4.
5. PAISLEY,	89,700	37	30	29	3	1	27	15·7	0·6	2	8	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	3	1	0	57·1	26·8	42·8	1·10	50·6	5.
6. GREENOCK,	80,200	37	20	26	4	1	23	15·0	0·0	1	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	56·1	30·3	41·7	1·25	55·9	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	66,400	29	16	9	0	3	12	9·4	0·0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK,	48,500	25	7	10	0	3	13	14·0	1·1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY,	44,700	16	6	13	1	1	13	15·2	0·0	2	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE,	43,800	16	9	8	2	1	7	8·4	0·0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK,	39,900	20	10	7	1	4	10	13·1	2·6	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	57·0	21·6	41·0	0·71	54·8	11.
12. HAMILTON,	38,400	16	13	6	0	2	8	10·9	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	2	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR,	40,300	18	5	26	3	1	24	31·1	0·0	2	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	58·0	32·0	44·7	0·37	60·7	13.
14. FALKIRK,	38 000	11	10	16	5	0	11	15·2	0·0	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE,	36,300	15	9	13	3	1	11	15·9	0·0	1	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	58·0	26·0	40·5	0·74	53·0	15.
16. PERTH,	35,500	10	3	12	6	0	6	8·8	0·0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	59·0	22·0	40·2	0·55	54·1	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Apr. 25, 1936,	2,545,700	973	475	747	111	45	681	14·0	0·9	72	277	1	29	1	3	2	7	2	1	95	5	26	60·0	21·6	41·4	0·73	...	Total 16 Towns.
week ending, Apr. 18, 1936,	2,545,700	1050	723	731	108	48	671	13·8	0·9	79	263	1	19	2	7	4	4	1	4	93	9	34	55·9	22·0	39·8	0·15	...	
week ending, Apr. 27, 1935,	2,526,200	1035	725	730	98	39	671	13·9	0·8	82	273	0	1	3	14	1	14	1	4	83	11	29	62·9	32·0	48·9	0·20	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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No. 18. Week ending SATURDAY, MAY 2, 1936. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 2nd May 1936 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, those burghs which at the date of the 1931 Census had populations of over 30,000, the births of 1050 living children, 655 marriages, and 820 deaths. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 758. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 21·6 per thousand, the marriage-rate 13·5, and the death-rate (corrected) 15·6.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·6 more than in the previous week, and 1·5 above the average. The marriage-rate is 3·7 more than in the previous week, and 4·1 above the average. The death-rate is 1·6 more than in the previous week, and 1·6 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 19·6 in Dundee and 18·3 in Greenock, to 5·5 in Falkirk and 7·8 in Ayr. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Perth (17·7), in Glasgow (17·0) and in Edinburgh (16·0).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 47, and are 1 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·0 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, 30 from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 5 from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, 4 from influenza, 1 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 4 from other epidemic diseases, of which 2 were ascribed to erysipelas, 1 to dysentery and 1 to lethargic encephalitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from measles are 1 more, from scarlet fever the same, from whooping-cough 2 more, from diphtheria the same, from influenza 3 fewer, from cerebro-spinal fever 1 fewer, and from other epidemic diseases 3 more.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 113, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·3 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·3 more than in the previous week, and is 0·3 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 102 and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 311. The former are 30 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 34 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 35, and are 9 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for ten of the towns named in the Table was 49°·3, being 7°·9 above that for the previous week, and 3°·0 above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930. The mean rainfall was 0·10 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1936. (Provisional.)	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Principal Epidemic Diseases. Measles.	Principal Epidemic Diseases. Scarlet Fever.	Principal Epidemic Diseases. Whooping-cough.	Principal Epidemic Diseases. Diphtheria.	Principal Epidemic Diseases. Influenza.	Principal Epidemic Diseases. Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Principal Epidemic Diseases. *Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW, ...	1,124,300	520	306	392	37	11	366	17·0	1·4	60	135	0	24	1	1	1	3	0	0	58	9	15	61·7	37·8	49·7	0·04	27·9	1.
2. EDINBURGH, . . .	464,600	156	111	156	19	5	142	16·0	0·6	13	76	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	2	20	0	6	60·0	37·0	49·1	0·06	50·3	2.
3. DUNDEE, ...	178,700	85	35	68	6	5	67	19·6	1·5	8	29	0	3	0	1	0	0	0	1	8	0	2	61·0	35·0	48·4	0·07	44·7	3.
4. ABERDEEN, ...	176,400	67	49	62	16	1	47	13·9	0·6	6	19	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	9	0	3	59·0	37·0	48·4	0·02	41·8	4.
5. PAISLEY, ...	89,700	35	23	18	5	4	17	9·9	0·0	2	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	63·3	36·1	50·4	0·07	37·8	5.
6. GREENOCK, ...	80,200	27	14	27	1	2	28	18·3	0·7	5	9	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	4	0	2	62·0	39·0	49 9	0·27	43·9	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, ...	66,400	20	23	8	0	2	10	7·9	0·0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK, . . .	48,500	17	10	8	1	6	13	14·0	3·2	3	3	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	3	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY, . . .	44,700	11	12	11	1	1	11	12·9	1·2	1	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE, . .	43,800	31	11	9	0	1	10	11·9	0·0	1	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK, . . .	39,900	17	7	11	4	1	8	10·5	0·0	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	62·6	31·4	49·1	0·13	39·3	11.
12. HAMILTON, ...	38,400	13	19	8	1	3	10	13·6	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	3	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR, ...	40,300	17	8	10	4	0	6	7·8	0·0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	59·0	41·0	50·1	0·10	41·8	13.
14. FALKIRK, ...	38,000	12	8	7	3	0	4	5·5	0·0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE, . .	36,300	10	9	7	2	2	7	10·1	0·0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	61·0	35·0	48·3	0·20	45·3	15.
16. PERTH, ...	35,500	12	10	18	6	0	12	17·7	0·0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	64·0	30·0	49·4	0·04	44·6	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, May 2, 1936,	2,545,700	1050	655	820	106	44	758	15·6	1·0	102	311	0	30	1	5	2	4	1	4	113	10	35	64·0	30·0	49·3	0·10	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
Apr. 25, 1936,	2,545,700	973	475	747	111	45	681	14·0	0·9	72	277	1	29	1	3	2	7	2	1	95	5	26	60·0	21·6	41·4	0·73	...	
May 4, 1935,	2,526,200	1002	634	763	104	31	690	14·2	0·7	79	298	0	1	3	14	3	6	1	4	94	18	14	71·2	39·8	51·4	0·01	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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No. 19. Week ending SATURDAY, MAY 9, 1936. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 9th May 1936 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, those burghs which at the date of the 1931 Census had populations of over 30,000, the births of 987 living children, 166 marriages, and 757 deaths. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 691. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 20·3 per thousand, the marriage-rate 3·4, and the death-rate (corrected) 14·2.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·3 less than in the previous week, and 0·4 below the average. The marriage-rate is 10·1 less than in the previous week, but 0·6 above the average. The death-rate is 1·4 less than in the previous week, but 0·6 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 19·1 in Coatbridge and 15·5 in Glasgow and in Dundee, to 7·4 in Perth and 8·2 in Kirkcaldy. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Clydebank (15·1), in Aberdeen (14·8) and in Paisley (14·6). In Edinburgh the rate was 13·1.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 45, and are 2 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·9 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, 31 from measles, none from scarlet fever, none from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria, 2 from influenza, 2 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 7 from other epidemic diseases, of which 4 were ascribed to erysipelas, 2 to lethargic encephalitis and 1 to acute poliomyelitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from measles are 1 more, from diphtheria 1 more, from influenza 2 fewer, from cerebro-spinal fever 1 more, and from other epidemic diseases 3 more.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 108, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·2 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·1 less than in the previous week, but is 0·3 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 79 and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 276. The former are 23 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 35 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 34, and are 1 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for ten of the towns named in the Table was 50°·2, being 0°·9 above that for the previous week, and 2°·6 above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930. The mean rainfall was 0·05 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1936. (Provisional.)	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW,	1,124,300	464	77	364	38	8	334	15·5	1·3	45	120	0	24	0	0	1	1	1	2	57	5	13	65·9	40·9	51·0	0·00	38·5	1.
2. EDINBURGH,	464,600	157	34	131	21	6	116	13·1	0·2	12	48	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	14	0	11	61·0	37·0	48·0	0·01	33·0	2.
3. DUNDEE,	178,700	72	9	55	4	2	53	15·5	1·5	4	25	0	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	8	0	0	65·0	36·0	49·0	0·08	32·9	3.
4. ABERDEEN,	176,400	43	13	61	13	2	50	14·8	0·6	2	26	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	5	0	5	56·0	38·0	46·0	0·27	40·3	4.
5. PAISLEY,	89,700	40	1	30	7	2	25	14·6	0·6	1	10	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	66·7	38·7	50·9	0·01	38·1	5.
6. GREENOCK,	80,200	32	6	17	0	2	19	12·4	0·0	6	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	64·9	40·9	50·9	0·00	40·9	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	66,400	32	2	11	0	2	13	10·2	0·8	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK,	48,500	17	3	5	0	9	14	15·1	1·1	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	5	0	2	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY,	44,700	11	2	6	1	2	7	8·2	1·2	1	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE,	43,800	33	2	14	0	2	16	19·1	0·0	2	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK,	39,900	19	0	12	2	0	10	13·1	1·3	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	68·2	36·0	52·4	0·01	57·3	11.
12. HAMILTON,	38,400	13	2	7	2	2	7	9·5	1·4	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR,	40,300	14	3	16	9	0	7	9·1	0·0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	67·0	45·0	55·1	0·01	56·3	13.
14. FALKIRK,	38,000	13	8	10	3	1	8	11·0	0·0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE,	36,300	14	1	9	3	1	7	10·1	1·4	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	61·0	39·0	48·7	0·00	35·7	15.
16. PERTH,	35,500	13	3	9	4	0	5	7·4	0·0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	66·0	35·0	49·9	0·09	37·7	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, May 9, 1936,	2,545,700	987	166	757	107	41	691	14·2	0·9	79	276	0	31	0	0	3	2	2	7	108	6	34	68·2	35·0	50·2	0·05	...	Total 16 Towns.
May 2, 1936,	2,545,700	1050	655	820	106	44	758	15·6	1·0	102	311	0	30	1	5	2	4	1	4	113	10	35	64·0	30·0	49·3	0·10	...	
May 11, 1935,	2,526,200	1021	186	720	98	42	664	13·7	0·5	79	276	1	0	2	11	1	5	2	2	85	5	30	71·2	35·0	52·6	0·00	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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No. 20. Week ending SATURDAY, MAY 16, 1936. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 16th May 1936 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, those burghs which at the date of the 1931 Census had populations of over 30,000, the births of 1021 living children, 94 marriages, and 755 deaths. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 694. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 21·0 per thousand, the marriage-rate 1·9, and the death-rate (corrected) 14·3.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·7 more than in the previous week, and 0·8 above the average. The marriage-rate is 1·5 less than in the previous week, and 0·8 below the average. The death-rate is 0·1 more than in the previous week, and 1·2 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 18·7 in Kirkcaldy and 17·9 in Coatbridge, to 10·8 in Clydebank and 11·1 in Paisley. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Perth (16·2) and in Falkirk (15·2). In Glasgow the rate was 14·4 and in Edinburgh 14·4.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 52, and are 7 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·1 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, 35 from measles, none from scarlet fever, 4 from whooping-cough, 4 from diphtheria, 2 from influenza, 1 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 6 from other epidemic diseases, of which 3 were ascribed to erysipelas, 2 to lethargic encephalitis and 1 to dysentery. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from measles are 4 more, from whooping-cough 4 more, from diphtheria 1 more, from influenza the same, from cerebro-spinal fever 1 fewer, and from other epidemic diseases 1 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 95, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·0 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·2 less than in the previous week, but is 0·1 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 91 and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 264. The former are 12 more than in the previous week, but the latter are 12 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 26, and are 8 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for ten of the towns named in the Table was 52°·5, being 2°·3 above that for the previous week, and 2°·5 above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930. The mean rainfall was 0·58 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1936. (Provisional.)	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW,	1,124,300	479	44	329	35	16	310	14·4	1·5	43	108	0	24	0	2	1	1	0	4	55	11	11	68·8	39·8	53·7	0·76	28·5	1.
2. EDINBURGH,	464,600	177	21	153	25	0	128	14·4	0·2	13	50	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	15	1	7	67·0	41·0	53·6	0·07	46·9	2.
3. DUNDEE,	178,700	59	8	52	6	3	49	14·3	1·8	3	26	0	5	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	3	61·0	38·0	50·8	0·35	46·9	3.
4. ABERDEEN,	176,400	70	11	58	12	1	47	13·9	0·9	7	25	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	7	0	0	60·0	36·0	49·3	0·15	54·3	4.
5. PAISLEY,	89,700	25	1	23	4	0	19	11·1	2·9	3	4	0	3	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	69·4	38·4	54·0	1·27	29·2	5.
6. GREENOCK,	80,200	32	1	23	2	1	22	14·3	0·0	4	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	69·0	39·2	53·0	1·60	33·2	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	66,400	26	1	14	0	4	18	14·2	0·0	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK,	48,500	20	2	3	0	7	10	10·8	0·0	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY,	44,700	17	0	17	1	0	16	18·7	0·0	1	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE,	43,800	20	0	12	0	3	15	17·9	1·2	3	6	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	3	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK,	39,900	16	0	13	5	1	9	11·8	1·3	0	5	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	72·4	32·0	52·7	1·05	32·1	11.
12. HAMILTON,	38,400	17	1	11	2	1	10	13·6	1·4	2	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR,	40,300	20	1	11	3	1	9	11·7	0·0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	64·0	43·0	52·7	0·27	30·5	13.
14. FALKIRK,	38,000	7	0	15	4	0	11	15·2	1·4	0	5	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE,	36,300	19	2	8	0	2	10	14·4	0·0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	65·0	37·0	52·2	0·17	44·5	15.
16. PERTH,	35,500	17	1	13	2	0	11	16·2	0·0	5	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	70·0	36·0	53·1	0·07	46·4	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, May 16, 1936,	2,545,700	1021	94	755	101	40	694	14·3	1·1	91	264	0	35	0	4	4	2	1	6	95	15	26	72·4	32·0	52·5	0·58	...	Total 16 Towns.
May 9, 1936,	2,545,700	987	166	757	107	41	691	14·2	0·9	79	276	0	31	0	0	3	2	2	7	108	6	34	68·2	35·0	50·2	0·05	...	
May 18, 1935,	2,526,200	953	159	631	90	27	568	11·7	0·6	72	221	2	1	2	6	5	5	2	4	85	9	26	58·0	26·0	42·1	0·72	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

* Including typhus fever, smallpox, dysentery, erysipelas, lethargic encephalitis and acute poliomyelitis.

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No. 21. Week ending SATURDAY, MAY 23, 1936. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 23rd May 1936 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, those burghs which at the date of the 1931 Census had populations of over 30,000, the births of 973 living children, 121 marriages, and 679 deaths. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 626. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 20·0 per thousand, the marriage-rate 2·5, and the death-rate (corrected) 12·9.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·0 less than in the previous week, but 0·6 above the average. The marriage-rate is 0·6 more than in the previous week, but 0·2 below the average. The death-rate is 1·4 less than in the previous week, but 0·3 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 15·2 in Paisley and 14·3 in Greenock, to 5·2 in Kilmarnock and 6·5 in Clydebank. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Kirkcaldy (14·0), in Dundee (13·8), in Falkirk 13·8 and in Glasgow (13·4). In Edinburgh the rate was 12·4.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 41, and are 11 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·8 per thousand. They include 1 from typhoid fever, 30 from measles, none from scarlet fever, 3 from whooping-cough, 1 from diphtheria, 2 from influenza, 3 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 1 from erysipelas. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from typhoid fever are 1 more, from measles 5 fewer, from whooping-cough 1 fewer, from diphtheria 3 fewer, from influenza the same, from cerebro-spinal fever 2 more, and from other epidemic diseases 5 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 84, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·7 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·3 less than in the previous week, but is 0·1 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 89 and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 244. The former are 2 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 20 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 19, and are 7 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for ten of the towns named in the Table was 52°·0, being 0°·5 below that for the previous week, but 0°·2 above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930. The mean rainfall was 0·36 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1936. (Provisional.)	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW,	1,124,300	424	57	304	29	13	288	13·4	1·4	51	98	0	25	0	3	1	1	1	0	47	8	9	68 5	41·8	53·4	0·22	41·1	1.
2. EDINBURGH,	464,600	172	28	127	20	3	110	12·4	0·2	11	49	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	0	2	65·0	39·0	50·0	0·14	48·0	2.
3. DUNDEE,	178,700	80	7	51	5	1	47	13·8	0·6	5	18	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	6	0	3	66·0	40·0	50·9	0·23	41·3	3.
4. ABERDEEN,	176,400	67	13	53	12	2	43	12·7	0·6	5	22	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	8	0	0	60·0	39·0	48·1	0·57	36·8	4.
5. PAISLEY,	89,700	39	4	26	0	0	26	15·2	1·7	3	11	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	4	1	1	70·6	40·7	54·3	0·31	42·9	5.
6. GREENOCK,	80,200	32	2	23	1	0	22	14·3	0·0	2	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	67·0	41·2	53·4	0·38	43·4	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	66,400	26	0	10	0	3	13	10·2	0·0	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK,	48,500	14	1	5	0	1	6	6·5	0·0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY,	44,700	8	0	11	1	2	12	14·0	0·0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE,	43,800	23	1	9	0	2	11	13 1	0·0	4	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK,	39,900	18	1	4	0	0	4	5·2	0·0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	69·4	34·6	53·2	0·30	45·0	11.
12. HAMILTON,	38,400	20	1	7	0	1	8	10·9	1·4	1	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR,	40,300	11	2	15	6	1	10	13·0	0·0	1	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	64·0	45·0	53·7	1·24	43·4	13.
14. FALKIRK,	38 000	20	0	14	4	0	10	13·8	0·0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE,	36,300	11	3	11	5	3	9	13·0	0·0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	65·0	37·0	50·7	0·10	44·6	15.
16. PERTH,	35,500	8	1	9	2	0	7	10·3	0·0	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	71·0	34·0	52·6	0·13	39·8	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, May 23, 1936,	2,545,700	973	121	679	85	32	626	12·9	0·8	89	244	1	30	0	3	1	2	3	1	84	10	19	71·0	34·0	52·0	0·36	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
May 16, 1936,	2,545,700	1021	94	755	101	40	694	14·3	1·1	91	264	0	35	0	4	4	2	1	6	95	15	26	72·4	32·0	52·5	0·58	...	
May 25, 1935,	2,526,200	914	126	691	104	35	622	12·8	0·7	70	259	0	1	1	10	9	9	0	3	76	4	17	64·1	32 0	48 7	0·05	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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No. 22. Week ending SATURDAY, MAY 30, 1936. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 30th May 1936 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, those burghs which at the date of the 1931 Census had populations of over 30,000, the births of 926 living children, 130 marriages, and 703 deaths. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 646. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 19·0 per thousand, the marriage-rate 2·7, and the death-rate (corrected) 13·3.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·0 less than in the previous week, and 1·1 below the average. The marriage-rate is 0·2 more than in the previous week, but 3·5 below the average. The death-rate is 0·4 more than in the previous week, and 0·8 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 24·6 in Ayr and 23·6 in Perth, to 3·2 in Clydebank and 7·0 in Kirkcaldy. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Hamilton (19·0), in Greenock, (16·9) and in Glasgow (14·3). In Edinburgh the rate was 11·6.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 46, and are 5 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·9 per thousand. They include 4 from typhoid fever, 26 from measles, 2 from scarlet fever, 5 from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, 3 from influenza, 2 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 2 from other epidemic diseases, of which 1 was ascribed to erysipelas and 1 to lethargic encephalitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from typhoid fever are 3 more, from measles 4 fewer, from scarlet fever 2 more, from whooping-cough 2 more, from diphtheria 1 more, from influenza 1 more, from cerebro-spinal fever 1 fewer, and from other epidemic diseases 1 more.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 77, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·6 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·1 less than in the previous week, but is 0·1 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 68 and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 253. The former are 21 fewer than in the previous week, but the latter are 9 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 27, and are 8 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for ten of the towns named in the Table was 51°·5, being 0°·5 below that for the previous week, and 2°·3 below the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930. The mean rainfall was 0·38 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1936. (Provisional.)	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW,	1,124,300	458	55	337	43	13	307	14·3	1·3	37	100	2	17	2	2	1	0	1	2	41	6	14	67·8	39·3	52·4	0·48	18·2	1.
2. EDINBURGH,	464,600	150	27	120	18	1	103	11·6	0·9	9	49	1	4	0	1	0	2	0	0	10	1	1	59·0	38·0	48·7	0·60	27·0	2.
3. DUNDEE,	178,700	61	9	46	4	2	44	12·9	1·2	5	23	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	1	3	62·0	38·0	51·4	0·31	32·3	3.
4. ABERDEEN,	176,400	65	21	49	10	4	43	12·7	0·0	5	18	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	5	57·0	38·0	48·2	0·16	42·5	4.
5. PAISLEY,	89,700	28	3	21	1	0	20	11·7	1·2	2	12	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	69·4	38·0	53·1	0·26	21·7	5.
6. GREENOCK,	80,200	29	3	26	0	0	26	16·9	0·0	4	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	68·9	40·0	52·2	0·64	29·6	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	66,400	19	1	13	0	4	17	13·4	0·8	2	9	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK,	48,500	19	1	2	0	1	3	3·2	0·0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY,	44,700	12	1	7	1	0	6	7·0	0·0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE,	43,800	19	0	7	0	0	7	8·4	0·0	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK,	39,900	10	1	11	4	1	8	10·5	0·0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	70·2	33·8	52·4	0·23	30·8	11.
12. HAMILTON,	38,400	22	1	9	0	5	14	19·0	4·1	0	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	3	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR,	40,300	10	4	21	6	4	19	24·6	1·3	0	7	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	62·0	45·0	53·1	0·55	35·8	13.
14. FALKIRK,	38,000	8	0	11	5	0	6	8·3	0·0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE,	36,300	6	1	6	0	1	7	10·1	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	61·0	36·0	50·4	0·45	22·5	15.
16. PERTH,	35,500	10	2	17	2	1	16	23·6	0·0	0	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	67·0	35·0	52·6	0·07	25·6	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, May 30, 1936,	2,545,700	926	130	703	94	37	646	13·3	0·9	68	253	4	26	2	5	2	3	2	2	77	11	27	70·2	33·8	51·5	0·38	...	Total 16 Towns.
May 23, 1936,	2,545,700	973	121	679	85	32	626	12·9	0·8	89	244	1	30	0	3	1	2	3	1	84	10	19	71·0	34·0	52·0	0·36	...	
June 1, 1935,	2,526,200	941	143	689	96	38	631	13·0	0·4	57	253	0	1	2	3	4	5	1	4	83	3	30	66·3	36·0	49·8	0·00	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

* Including typhus fever, smallpox, dysentery, erysipelas, lethargic encephalitis and acute poliomyelitis.

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During the week ending 6th June 1936 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, those burghs which at the date of the 1931 Census had populations of over 30,000, the births of 934 living children, 506 marriages, and 677 deaths. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 615. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 19·2 per thousand, the marriage-rate 10·4, and the death-rate (corrected) 12·6.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·2 more than in the previous week, but 1·2 below the average. The marriage-rate is 7·7 more than in the previous week, but 3·0 below the average. The death-rate is 0·7 less than in the previous week, and 0·2 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 15·2 in Kirkcaldy and 15·0 in Hamilton, to 5·2 in Ayr and 9·2 in Kilmarnock. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Dundee (14·9), in Paisley (14·6), in Falkirk (13·8) and in Perth (13·3). In Glasgow the rate was 12·8 and in Edinburgh 12·6.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 36, and are 10 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·7 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, 22 from measles, 3 from scarlet fever, 3 from whooping-cough, 1 from diphtheria, 2 from influenza, 3 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 2 from other epidemic diseases, both of which were ascribed to erysipelas. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from measles are 4 fewer, from scarlet fever 1 more, from whooping-cough 2 fewer, from diphtheria 1 fewer, from influenza 1 fewer, from cerebro-spinal fever 1 more, and from other epidemic diseases the same.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 54, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·1 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·5 less than in the previous week, and is 0·4 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 58 and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 255. The former are 10 fewer than in the previous week, but the latter are 2 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 33, and are 6 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for ten of the towns named in the Table was 48°·7, being 2°·8 below that for the previous week, and 5°·6 below the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930. It is the lowest mean temperature recorded for the corresponding week of any year since 1888, when it was 47°·5. The mean rainfall was 0·27 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING JUNE 6, 1936.

TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1936. (Provisional.)	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW, ...	1,124,300	431	216	308	44	11	275	12·8	1·1	33	97	0	16	2	1	1	0	3	1	26	7	13	61·2	37·6	49·5	0·36	39·8	1.
2. EDINBURGH, . . .	464,600	139	98	124	16	4	112	12·6	0·1	6	62	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	14	2	5	64·0	37·0	48·1	0·23	58·6	2.
3. DUNDEE, ...	178,700	69	23	54	3	0	51	14·9	0·0	4	23	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	5	65·0	36·0	49·2	0·43	55·7	3.
4. ABERDEEN, ...	176,400	57	46	52	13	0	39	11·6	0·6	3	18	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	3	0	4	64·0	33·0	46·3	0·09	64·9	4.
5. PAISLEY, ...	89,700	37	11	27	3	1	25	14·6	1·7	1	13	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	63·2	37·1	49·9	0·05	47·3	5.
6. GREENOCK, ...	80,200	33	21	18	1	1	18	11·7	0·0	1	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	60·9	37·8	49·9	0·45	61·3	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, ...	66,400	33	12	9	0	3	12	9·4	0·0	2	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK, . . .	48,500	17	1	9	0	3	12	12·9	1·1	1	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY, . . .	44,700	11	8	12	2	3	13	15·2	1·2	1	8	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE, . .	43,800	22	8	8	0	0	8	9·5	2·4	1	3	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK, . . .	39,900	20	10	8	2	1	7	9·2	0·0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	62·0	31·0	48·1	0·30	56·1	11.
12. HAMILTON, ...	38,400	13	15	8	0	3	11	15·0	2·7	2	5	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR, ...	40,300	19	11	6	2	0	4	5·2	0·0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	57·0	40·0	49·6	0·08	55·8	13.
14. FALKIRK, ...	38,000	9	5	10	1	1	10	13·8	0·0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE, . .	36,300	12	11	12	4	1	9	13·0	0·0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	62·0	34·0	47·7	0·24	57·1	15.
16. PERTH, ...	35,500	12	10	12	3	0	9	13·3	0·0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	64·0	31·0	48·3	0·48	49·1	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, June 6, 1936,	2,545,700	934	506	677	94	32	615	12·6	0·7	58	255	0	22	3	3	1	2	3	2	54	9	33	65·0	31·0	48·7	0·27	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
May 30, 1936,	2,545,700	926	130	703	94	37	646	13·3	0·9	68	253	4	26	2	5	2	3	2	2	77	11	27	70·2	33·8	51·5	0·38	...	
June 8, 1935,	2,528,800	919	581	680	104	34	610	12·6	0·3	72	262	0	0	1	4	5	5	0	1	72	4	26	62·0	37·0	49·9	1·54	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

* Including typhus fever, smallpox, dysentery, erysipelas, lethargic encephalitis and acute poliomyelitis.

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No. 24. Week ending SATURDAY, JUNE 13, 1936. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 13th June 1936 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, those burghs which at the date of the 1931 Census had populations of over 30,000, the births of 976 living children, 733 marriages, and 660 deaths. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 614. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 20·0 per thousand, the marriage-rate 15·1, and the death-rate (corrected) 12·6.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·8 more than in the previous week, but 0·1 below the average. The marriage-rate is 4·7 more than in the previous week, and 5·3 above the average. The death-rate is the same as in the previous week, but 0·8 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 20·2 in Dunfermline and 16·9 in Ayr, to 4·7 in Kirkcaldy and 8·3 in Falkirk. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Coatbridge (15·5), in Paisley (14·0), in Glasgow (13·3) and in Greenock (13·0). In Edinburgh the rate was 12·3.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 43, and are 7 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·9 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, 22 from measles, none from scarlet fever, 7 from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, 4 from influenza, 2 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 6 from other epidemic diseases, of which 3 were ascribed to lethargic encephalitis, 2 to erysipelas and 1 to dysentery. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from measles are the same, from whooping-cough 4 more, from diphtheria 1 more, from influenza 2 more, from cerebro-spinal fever 1 fewer, and from other epidemic diseases 4 more.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 58, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·2 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·1 more than in the previous week, but is 0·1 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 80 and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 242. The former are 22 more than in the previous week, but the latter are 13 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 28, and are 5 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for ten of the towns named in the Table was 54°·4, being 5°·7 above that for the previous week, but 0°·2 below the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930. The mean rainfall was 0·15 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING JUNE 13, 1936.

TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1936. (Provisional.)	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW,	1,124,300	450	315	311	41	16	286	13·3	1·3	43	92	0	20	0	4	2	0	2	1	32	10	13	65·7	43·2	54·5	0·29	39·0	1.
2. EDINBURGH,	464,600	144	166	117	15	7	109	12·3	0·2	5	53	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	7	0	9	69·0	43·0	54·6	0·09	57·0	2.
3. DUNDEE,	178,700	75	45	45	5	2	42	12·3	0·6	5	17	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	6	0	2	67·0	41·0	54·1	0·17	52·1	3.
4. ABERDEEN,	176,400	60	56	43	4	2	41	12·2	0·3	6	18	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	3	2	2	74·0	40·0	52·9	0·33	53·9	4.
5. PAISLEY,	89,700	30	32	23	3	4	24	14·0	1·2	6	7	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	68·7	43·1	55·8	0·02	48·7	5.
6. GREENOCK,	80,200	33	15	19	1	2	20	13·0	2·0	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	3	0	1	65·2	43·0	54·4	0·08	59·6	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	66,400	29	21	11	0	2	13	10·2	0·8	2	9	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK,	48,500	27	10	4	0	4	8	8·6	0·0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY,	44,700	15	11	5	1	0	4	4·7	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE,	43,800	17	5	14	2	1	13	15·5	1·2	2	7	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK,	39,900	16	7	7	1	1	7	9·2	0·0	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	68·0	39·6	54·3	0·20	52·5	11.
12. HAMILTON,	38,400	18	17	7	0	0	7	9·5	1·4	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR,	40,300	20	10	19	6	0	13	16·9	1·3	4	7	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	65·0	44·0	54·1	0·12	50·6	13.
14. FALKIRK,	38,000	14	5	8	3	1	6	8·3	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE,	36,300	11	6	18	4	0	14	20·2	0·0	1	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	68·0	40·0	53·7	0·05	54·1	15.
16. PERTH,	35,500	17	12	9	3	1	7	10·3	0·0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	71·0	36·0	55·6	0·12	53·3	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending. June 13, 1936,	2,545,700	976	733	660	89	43	614	12·6	0·9	80	242	0	22	0	7	2	4	2	6	58	13	28	74·0	36·0	54·4	0·15	...	Total 16 Towns.
June 6, 1936,	2,545,700	934	506	677	94	32	615	12·6	0·7	58	255	0	22	3	3	1	2	3	2	54	9	33	65·0	31·0	48·7	0·27	...	
June 15, 1935,	2,528,800	997	618	650	92	22	580	12·0	0·4	71	237	0	0	0	8	3	1	3	5	65	6	27	65·0	40·0	53·7	0·82	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

* Including typhus fever, smallpox, dysentery, erysipelas, lethargic encephalitis and acute poliomyelitis.

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No. 25. Week ending SATURDAY, JUNE 20, 1936. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 20th June 1936 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, those burghs which at the date of the 1931 Census had populations of over 30,000, the births of 935 living children, 502 marriages, and 663 deaths. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 604. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 19·2 per thousand, the marriage-rate 10·3, and the death-rate (corrected) 12·4.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·8 less than in the previous week, and 0·5 below the average. The marriage-rate is 4·8 less than in the previous week, but 0·3 above the average. The death-rate is 0·2 less than in the previous week, but 0·7 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 17·9 in Coatbridge and 15·6 in Ayr, to 2·2 in Clydebank and 4·7 in Kirkcaldy. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Falkirk (15·2), in Dundee (14·9), in Paisley (14·6) and in Dunfermline (14·4). In Glasgow the rate was 12·8 and in Edinburgh 12·4.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 43, and are the same as in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·9 per thousand. They include 1 from typhoid fever, 23 from measles, 3 from scarlet fever, 6 from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria, 3 from influenza, 1 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 3 from other epidemic diseases, of which 1 was ascribed to dysentery, 1 to erysipelas and 1 to lethargic encephalitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from typoid fever are 1 more, from measles 1 more, from scarlet fever 3 more, from whooping-cough 1 fewer, from diphtheria 1 more, from influenza 1 fewer, from cerebro-spinal fever 1 fewer, and from other epidemic diseases 3 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 68, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·4 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·2 more than in the previous week, and is 0·2 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 59 and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 230. The former are 21 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 12 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 34, and are 6 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for ten of the towns named in the Table was 57°·0, being 2°·6 above that for the previous week, and 1°·6 above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930. The mean rainfall was 0·41 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1936. (Provisional.)	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Principal Epidemic Diseases. Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW,	1,124,300	446	258	297	29	8	276	12·8	1·0	30	95	0	14	1	4	0	1	0	1	42	4	21	75·8	43·7	57·4	0·47	34·7	1.
2. EDINBURGH,	464,600	164	98	125	23	8	110	12·4	0·7	8	47	1	2	0	0	0	1	1	1	6	1	4	70·0	44·0	55·9	0·07	38·7	2.
3. DUNDEE,	178,700	55	20	55	4	0	51	14·9	2·0	3	21	0	5	1	0	0	0	0	1	5	0	1	68·0	40·0	55·1	0·17	46·9	3.
4. ABERDEEN,	176,400	56	39	54	14	3	43	12·7	0·0	0	22	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	65·0	40·0	53·7	0·28	64·2	4.
5. PAISLEY,	89,700	30	18	26	3	2	25	14·6	1·7	2	8	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	2	78·1	41·4	57·9	0·68	40·5	5.
6. GREENOCK,	80,200	24	10	11	3	1	9	5·9	0·0	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	78·6	45·2	58·2	0·76	43·3	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	66,400	30	6	7	0	3	10	7·9	0·8	3	5	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK,	48,500	10	9	1	0	1	2	2·2	0·0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY,	44,700	11	6	4	0	0	4	4·7	0·0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE,	43,800	24	2	13	0	2	15	17·9	1·2	2	8	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK,	39,900	20	5	13	3	0	10	13·1	0·0	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	1	83·4	38·0	58·8	0·75	40·8	11.
12. HAMILTON,	38,400	19	6	9	1	2	10	13·6	0·0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR,	40,300	18	10	15	3	0	12	15·6	1·3	2	6	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	80·0	43·0	59·2	0·63	42·1	13.
14. FALKIRK,	38,000	8	4	13	4	2	11	15·2	1·4	1	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE,	36,300	10	4	9	1	2	10	14·4	2·9	0	5	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	74·0	41·0	56·2	0·12	40·0	15.
16. PERTH,	35,500	10	7	11	6	1	6	8·8	0·0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	79·0	36·0	57·3	0·18	41·9	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, June 20, 1936,	2,545,700	935	502	663	94	35	604	12·4	0·9	59	230	1	23	3	6	3	3	1	3	68	5	34	83·4	36·0	57·0	0·41	...	Total 16 Towns.
June 13, 1936,	2,545,700	976	733	660	89	43	614	12·6	0·9	80	242	0	22	0	7	2	4	2	6	58	13	28	74·0	36·0	54·4	0·15	...	
June 22, 1935,	2,528,800	942	564	612	94	41	559	11·5	0·4	63	227	2	0	2	5	2	3	3	4	56	7	28	80·0	40·0	56·9	0·50	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

* Including typhus fever, smallpox, dysentery, erysipelas, lethargic encephalitis and acute poliomyelitis.

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No. 26. Week ending SATURDAY, JUNE 27, 1936. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 27th June 1936 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, those burghs which at the date of the 1931 Census had populations of over 30,000, the births of 918 living children, 564 marriages, and 666 deaths. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 599. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 18·9 per thousand, the marriage-rate 11·6, and the death-rate (corrected) 12·3.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·3 less than in the previous week, and 0·7 below the average. The marriage-rate is 1·3 more than in the previous week, but 0·5 below the average. The death-rate is 0·1 less than in the previous week, but 0·9 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 18·2 in Ayr and 17·7 in Hamilton, to 5·8 in Kirkcaldy and 7·6 in Clydebank. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Greenock (16·9), in Falkirk (13·8), in Perth (13·3) and in Glasgow (13·2). In Edinburgh the rate was 11·6.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 23, and are 20 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·5 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, 14 from measles, 2 from scarlet fever, none from whooping-cough, 1 from diphtheria, 2 from influenza, 1 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 3 from other epidemic diseases, of which 2 were ascribed to erysipelas and 1 to lethargic encephalitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from measles are 9 fewer, from scarlet fever 1 fewer, from diphtheria 2 fewer, from influenza 1 fewer, from cerebro-spinal fever the same, and from other epidemic diseases the same.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 73, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·5 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·1 more than in the previous week, and is 0·3 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 71 and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 243. The former are 12 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 13 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 22, and are 12 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for ten of the towns named in the Table was 63°·3, being 6°·3 above that for the previous week, and 7°·2 above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930. This is the highest mean temperature recorded for the corresponding week of any year since 1878, when it was 64·0. The mean rainfall was 0·08 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1936. (Provisional.)	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW,	1,124,300	451	265	308	36	11	283	13·2	0·6	35	101	0	3	2	0	1	1	0	1	33	11	8	77·9	53·2	64·7	0·11	46·4	1.
2. EDINBURGH,	464,600	145	100	126	28	5	103	11·6	0·2	6	48	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	12	0	4	75·0	50·0	60·9	0·07	56·4	2.
3. DUNDEE,	178,700	58	34	39	3	1	37	10·8	0·9	2	17	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	4	0	0	74·0	46·0	61·6	0·00	66·3	3.
4. ABERDEEN,	176,400	52	41	43	11	1	33	9·8	0·3	3	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	7	0	3	69·0	44·0	57·8	0·00	86·6	4.
5. PAISLEY,	89,700	36	11	19	1	0	18	10·5	0·0	2	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	79·6	52·5	64·8	0·04	42·7	5.
6. GREENOCK,	80,200	31	18	26	1	1	26	16·9	0·0	4	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	2	1	79·0	55·0	65·1	0·05	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	66,400	26	18	13	0	3	16	12·6	0·0	6	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK,	48,500	15	9	4	1	4	7	7·6	0·0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY,	44,700	11	7	6	3	2	5	5·8	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE,	43,800	11	7	9	0	2	11	13·1	2·4	2	6	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK,	39,900	19	9	6	2	3	7	9·2	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	82·0	49·4	63·9	0·12	43·9	11.
12. HAMILTON,	38,400	19	5	10	1	4	13	17·7	1·4	6	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR,	40,300	8	10	18	4	0	14	18·2	0·0	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	85·0	56·0	65·7	0·33	44·6	13.
14. FALKIRK,	38,000	8	12	13	3	0	10	13·8	0·0	1	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE,	36,300	12	10	14	7	0	7	10·1	0·0	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	76·0	52·0	63·2	0·01	55·8	15.
16. PERTH,	35,500	16	8	12	3	0	9	13·3	1·5	0	7	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	81·0	43·0	64·2	0·04	65·6	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, June 27, 1936,	2,545,700	918	564	666	104	37	599	12·3	0·5	71	243	0	14	2	0	1	2	1	3	73	15	22	85·0	43·0	63·3	0·08	...	Total 16 Towns.
June 20, 1936,	2,545,700	935	502	663	94	35	604	12·4	0·9	59	230	1	23	3	6	3	3	1	3	68	5	34	83·4	36·0	57·0	0·41	...	
June 29, 1935,	2,528,800	973	547	572	77	44	539	11·1	0·4	54	223	0	3	1	6	3	1	1	2	70	4	25	78·0	49·0	61·1	0·76	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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During the week ending 4th July 1936 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, those burghs which at the date of the 1931 Census had populations of over 30,000, the births of 930 living children, 758 marriages, and 631 deaths. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 569. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 19·1 per thousand, the marriage-rate 15·6, and the death-rate (corrected) 11·7.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·2 more than in the previous week, but 0·5 below the average. The marriage-rate is 4·0 more than in the previous week, and 2·8 above the average. The death-rate is 0·6 less than in the previous week, and 0·1 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 23·6 in Perth and 16·3 in Hamilton, to 3·2 in Clydebank and 6·6 in Kilmarnock. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Glasgow (13·2), in Dunfermline (13·0), in Greenock (12·4) and in Edinburgh (11·9).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 30, and are 7 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·6 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, 14 from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 6 from whooping-cough, 1 from diphtheria, 3 from influenza, none from cerebro-spinal fever, and 5 from other epidemic diseases, of which 2 were ascribed to dysentery, 2 to erysipelas and 1 to lethargic encephalitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from measles are the same, from scarlet fever 1 fewer, from whooping-cough 6 more, from diphtheria the same, from influenza 1 more, and from other epidemic diseases 2 more.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 49, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·0 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·5 less than in the previous week, and is 0·2 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 65 and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 254. The former are 6 fewer than in the previous week, but the latter are 11 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 20, and are 2 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for ten of the towns named in the Table was 60°·7, being 2°·6 below that for the previous week, but 3°·1 above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930. The mean rainfall was 1·44 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1936. (Provisional.)	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW,	1,124,300	448	380	289	19	13	283	13·2	0·8	42	108	0	9	0	3	0	2	0	4	28	8	5	71·8	53·0	60·6	1·96	12·2	1.
2. EDINBURGH,	464,600	151	142	127	24	3	106	11·9	0·2	6	54	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	9	0	6	72·0	51·0	60·2	1·40	32·6	2.
3. DUNDEE,	178,700	67	42	37	5	2	34	9·9	0·3	3	19	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	2	68·0	52·0	59·9	1·46	31·9	3.
4. ABERDEEN,	176,400	58	42	47	17	2	32	9·5	0·6	4	19	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	75·0	53·0	59·6	0·30	33·7	4.
5. PAISLEY,	89,700	14	17	18	4	1	15	8·7	1·2	1	5	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	74·8	51·7	61·7	2·11	21·2	5.
6. GREENOCK,	80,200	28	27	21	2	0	19	12·4	0·0	1	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	71·2	52·0	60·8	1·30	26·1	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	66,400	25	15	9	1	2	10	7·9	0·0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK,	48,500	15	17	1	0	2	3	3·2	0·0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY,	44,700	16	5	5	0	1	6	7·0	0·0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE,	43,800	18	10	7	0	1	8	9·5	3·6	3	3	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK,	39,900	20	5	5	1	1	5	6·6	0·0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	75·8	50·0	62·1	1·39	27·5	11.
12. HAMILTON,	38,400	15	7	12	0	0	12	16·3	1·4	3	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR,	40,300	13	3	14	9	1	6	7·8	0·0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	72·0	52·0	60·9	2·02	28·9	13.
14. FALKIRK,	38,000	19	32	7	2	0	5	6·9	0·0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE,	36,300	15	5	13	5	1	9	13·0	0·0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	73·0	52·0	60·7	1·19	21·9	15.
16. PERTH,	35,500	8	9	19	4	1	16	23·6	1·5	0	7	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	1	73·0	42·0	60·8	1·26	22·1	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, July 4, 1936,	2,545,700	930	758	631	93	31	569	11·7	0·6	65	254	0	14	1	6	1	3	0	5	49	10	20	75·8	42·0	60·7	1·44	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
June 27, 1936,	2,545,700	918	564	666	104	37	599	12·3	0·5	71	243	0	14	2	0	1	2	1	3	73	15	22	85·0	43·0	63·3	0·08	...	
July 6, 1935,	2,528,800	916	774	584	80	38	542	11·2	0·1	45	230	0	0	1	2	0	1	1	2	50	6	28	76·0	48·0	59·4	0·24	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

* Including typhus fever, smallpox, dysentery, erysipelas, lethargic encephalitis and acute poliomyelitis.

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During the week ending 11th July 1936 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, those burghs which at the date of the 1931 Census had populations of over 30,000, the births of 941 living children, 569 marriages, and 590 deaths. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 562. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 19·3 per thousand, the marriage-rate 11·7, and the death-rate (corrected) 11·5.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·2 more than in the previous week, and 0·8 above the average. The marriage-rate is 3·9 less than in the previous week, and 2·0 below the average. The death-rate is 0·2 less than in the previous week, but 0·9 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 15·7 in Paisley and 15·6 in Greenock, to 7·3 in Perth and 7·9 in Kilmarnock. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Clydebank (15·1), in Hamilton (15·0), and in Kirkcaldy (14·0). In Glasgow the rate was 11·8 and in Edinburgh 10·1.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 28, and are 2 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·6 per thousand. They include 2 from typhoid fever, 11 from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 5 from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria, none from influenza, 2 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 4 from other epidemic diseases, of which 2 were ascribed to dysentery, 1 to acute poliomyelitis, and 1 to lethargic encephalitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from typhoid fever are 2 more, from measles 3 fewer, from scarlet fever the same, from whooping-cough 1 fewer, from diphtheria 2 more, from cerebro-spinal fever 2 more, and from other epidemic diseases 1 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 55, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·1 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·1 more than in the previous week, but is the same as the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 60 and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 239. The former are 5 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 15 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 42, and are 22 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for ten of the towns named in the Table was 60°4, being 0°·3 below that for the previous week, but 1°·8 above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930. The mean rainfall was 0·60 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1936. (Provisional.)	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW,	1,124,300	448	254	279	38	12	253	11·8	0·7	36	99	2	6	0	2	2	0	1	1	32	3	18	71·1	49·4	60·8	0·54	35·3	1.
2. EDINBURGH,	464,600	131	138	104	20	6	90	10·1	0·3	6	47	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	6	1	8	69·0	50·0	60·1	0·35	42·2	2.
3. DUNDEE,	178,700	44	36	38	3	2	37	10·8	0·9	0	16	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	4	0	1	73·0	52·0	61·4	0·84	41·2	3.
4. ABERDEEN,	176,400	64	41	42	7	5	40	11·9	0·0	4	22	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	4	73·0	50·0	60·0	1·70	44·7	4.
5. PAISLEY,	89,700	35	24	25	1	3	27	15·7	3·5	4	10	0	2	1	3	0	0	0	0	2	1	3	73·3	49·4	61·9	0·56	48·0	5.
6. GREENOCK,	80,200	37	16	22	1	3	24	15·6	0·0	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	70·0	49·8	59·9	0·22	54·6	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	66,400	22	7	9	0	3	12	9·4	0·0	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK,	48,500	16	9	8	0	6	14	15·1	0·0	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY,	44,700	18	4	11	0	1	12	14·0	0·0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE,	43,800	15	11	6	0	4	10	11·9	1·2	2	5	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK,	39,900	22	4	6	1	1	6	7·9	0·0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	70·0	44·6	60·0	0·63	50·3	11.
12. HAMILTON,	38,400	17	2	7	1	5	11	15·0	1·4	1	5	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR,	40,300	20	4	5	0	2	7	9·1	0·0	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	67·0	50·0	59·1	0·28	50·3	13.
14. FALKIRK,	38,000	26	1	11	4	1	8	11·0	0·0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE,	36,300	16	5	10	5	1	6	8·6	0·0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	71·0	47·0	60·1	0·28	32·4	15.
16. PERTH,	†35,700	10	13	7	3	1	5	7·3	0·0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	74·0	38·0	60·7	0·63	33·1	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, July 11, 1936,	†2,546,000	941	569	590	84	56	562	11·5	0·6	60	239	2	11	1	5	3	0	2	4	55	6	42	74·0	38·0	60·4	0·60	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
July 4, 1936,	2,545,700	930	758	631	93	31	569	11·7	0·6	65	254	0	14	1	6	1	3	0	5	49	10	20	75·8	42·0	60·7	1·44	...	
July 13, 1935,	2,528,800	935	749	542	91	39	490	10·1	0·2	56	212	0	1	1	0	4	2	1	2	53	7	27	83·0	42·0	62·5	0·26	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

* Including typhus fever, smallpox, dysentery, erysipelas, lethargic encephalitis and acute poliomyelitis † Perth Burgh boundaries extended.

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No. 29. Week ending SATURDAY, JULY 18, 1936. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 18th July 1936 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, those burghs which at the date of the 1931 Census had populations of over 30,000, the births of 908 living children, 904 marriages, and 584 deaths. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 544. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 18·6 per thousand, the marriage-rate 18·6, and the death-rate (corrected) 11·2.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·7 less than in the previous week, and 1·0 below the average. The marriage-rate is 6·9 more than in the previous week, and 0·3 above the average. The death-rate is 0·3 less than in the previous week, and 0·1 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 15·7 in Kilmarnock and 15·2 in Falkirk, to 2·7 in Hamilton and 2·9 in Perth. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Coatbridge (14·3), in Dundee (12·6), in Edinburgh (12·4), and in Paisley (12·2). In Glasgow the rate was 11·3.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 23, and are 5 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·5 per thousand. They include 1 from typhoid fever, 6 from measles, none from scarlet fever, 7 from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, 3 from influenza, none from cerebro-spinal fever, and 4 from other epidemic diseases, of which 3 were ascribed to erysipelas and 1 to lethargic encephalitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from typhoid fever are 1 fewer, from measles 5 fewer, from whooping-cough 2 more, from diphtheria 1 fewer, from influenza 3 more, and from other epidemic diseases the same.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 46, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·9 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·2 less than in the previous week, and is 0·2 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 68 and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 218. The former are 8 more than in the previous week, but the latter are 21 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 35, and are 7 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for ten of the towns named in the Table was 58°·1, being 2°·3 below that for the previous week, and 1°·0 below the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930. The mean rainfall was 1·44 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1936. (Provisional.)	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW,	1,124,300	425	398	263	31	12	244	11·3	0·4	33	100	1	2	0	3	1	0	0	2	24	9	12	65·7	48·1	58·0	1·14	20·2	1.
2. EDINBURGH,	464,600	153	260	126	20	4	110	12·4	0·6	10	48	0	1	0	1	0	2	0	1	10	0	6	69·0	49·0	58·4	1·43	34·6	2.
3. DUNDEE,	178,700	53	32	39	0	4	43	12·6	0·3	8	13	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	4	72·0	49·0	60·1	0·49	28·5	3.
4. ABERDEEN,	176,400	59	60	38	6	0	32	9·5	0·0	1	17	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	3	65·0	49·0	58·1	1·44	14·3	4.
5. PAISLEY,	89,700	38	33	23	4	2	21	12·2	1·7	4	7	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	2	1	1	67·3	48·0	58·8	1·88	27·2	5.
6. GREENOCK,	80,200	29	5	15	0	1	16	10·4	0·0	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	66·2	49·0	58·2	1·63	24·7	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	66,400	28	26	9	0	1	10	7·9	2·4	4	2	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK,	48,500	13	14	5	0	5	10	10·8	0·0	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY,	44,700	11	4	7	2	0	5	5·8	0·0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE,	43,800	22	7	8	0	4	12	14·3	0·0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK,	39,900	18	11	13	4	3	12	15·7	1·3	1	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	66·6	47·6	59·2	2·30	29·0	11.
12. HAMILTON,	38,400	11	18	1	0	1	2	2·7	0·0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR,	40,300	17	10	8	2	2	8	10·4	0·0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	61·5	53·5	56·6	2·07	25·7	13.
14. FALKIRK,	38,000	12	2	13	3	1	11	15·2	1·4	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE,	36,300	11	12	9	5	2	6	8·6	0·0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	69·0	46·0	58·4	0·75	26·3	15.
16. PERTH,	35,700	8	12	7	5	0	2	2·9	0·0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	73·0	31·0	55·1	1·24	35·0	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, July 18, 1936,	**2,546,000**	**908**	**904**	**584**	**82**	**42**	**544**	**11·2**	**0·5**	**68**	**218**	**1**	**6**	**0**	**7**	**2**	**3**	**0**	**4**	**46**	**14**	**35**	**73·0**	**31·0**	**58·1**	**1·44**	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
July 11, 1936,	2,546,000	941	569	590	84	56	562	11·5	0·6	60	239	2	11	1	5	3	0	2	4	55	6	42	74·0	38·0	60·4	0·60	...	
July 20, 1935,	2,528,800	920	997	613	91	40	562	11·6	0·3	74	229	0	1	0	8	1	2	1	0	59	13	22	71·0	41·0	58·0	0·78	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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No. 30. Week ending SATURDAY, JULY 25, 1936. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 25th July 1936 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, those burghs which at the date of the 1931 Census had populations of over 30,000, the births of 873 living children, 933 marriages, and 580 deaths. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 542. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 17·9 per thousand, the marriage-rate 19·2, and the death-rate (corrected) 11·1.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·7 less than in the previous week, and 0·4 below the average. The marriage-rate is 0·6 more than in the previous week, and 9·2 above the average. The death-rate is 0·1 less than in the previous week, but 0·8 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 16·7 in Coatbridge and 14·4 in Kilmarnock, to 7·0 in Kirkcaldy and 7·2 in Dunfermline. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Ayr (14·3), in Greenock (13·0), in Glasgow (11·7), in Edinburgh (11·7), and in Perth (11·7).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 20, and are 3 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·4 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, 5 from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 6 from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, 2 from influenza, 1 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 3 from other epidemic diseases, of which 2 were ascribed to lethargic encephalitis and 1 to dysentery. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from measles are 1 fewer, from scarlet fever 1 more, from whooping-cough 1 fewer, from diphtheria the same, from influenza 1 fewer, from cerebro-spinal fever 1 more, and from other epidemic diseases 1 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 51, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·0 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·1 more than in the previous week, and is 0·2 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 61 and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 231. The former are 7 fewer than in the previous week, but the latter are 13 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 19, and are 16 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for ten of the towns named in the Table was 56°·5, being 1°·6 below that for the previous week, and 1°·4 below the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930. The mean rainfall was 1·60 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1936. (Provisional.)	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW,	1,124,300	409	510	272	34	14	252	11·7	0·3	32	100	0	2	1	2	1	1	0	0	27	8	9	65·2	48·7	57·1	1·12	14·3	1.
2. EDINBURGH,	464,600	123	104	114	14	4	104	11·7	0·6	4	55	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	2	6	0	8	64·0	48·0	56·6	1·60	5·6	2.
3. DUNDEE,	178,700	60	74	36	3	2	35	10·2	0·0	1	20	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	1	0	72·0	48·0	57·6	1·96	6·9	3.
4. ABERDEEN,	176,400	53	69	32	9	2	25	7·4	0·3	4	11	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	65·0	43·0	55·9	0·90	21·5	4.
5. PAISLEY,	89,700	34	22	18	4	2	16	9·3	1·2	4	4	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	69·8	48·7	58·0	1·65	15·5	5.
6. GREENOCK,	80,200	28	7	20	1	1	20	13·0	1·3	3	7	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	65·2	49·7	57·3	3·14	21·1	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	66,400	26	19	10	0	4	14	11·0	0·8	5	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK,	48,500	22	14	4	0	4	8	8·6	0·0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY,	44,700	10	27	6	0	0	6	7·0	1·2	0	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE,	43,800	23	15	12	0	2	14	16·7	1·2	5	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK,	39,900	20	7	16	5	0	11	14·4	0·0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	66·8	42·0	56·7	1·46	12·6	11.
12. HAMILTON,	38,400	19	19	5	2	4	7	9·5	0·0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR,	40,300	9	8	13	4	2	11	14·3	0·0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	1·53	17·1	13.
14. FALKIRK,	38,000	14	10	5	0	1	6	8·3	0·0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE,	36,300	13	23	8	5	2	5	7·2	0·0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	65·0	50·0	57·0	1·14	6·2	15.
16. PERTH,	35,700	10	5	9	1	0	8	11·7	0·0	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	71·0	35·0	52·6	1·48	7·2	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, July 25, 1936,	2,546,000	873	933	580	82	44	542	11·1	0·4	61	231	0	5	1	6	2	2	1	3	51	13	19	72·0	35·0	56·5	1·60	...	Total 16 Towns.
July 18, 1936,	2,546,000	908	904	584	82	42	544	11·2	0·5	68	218	1	6	0	7	2	3	0	4	46	14	35	73·0	31·0	58·1	1·44	...	
July 27, 1935,	2,528,800	852	521	533	85	49	497	10·2	0·1	49	205	0	0	1	3	0	1	1	1	36	8	32	78·0	42·0	60·1	0·35	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

* Including typhus fever, smallpox, dysentery, erysipelas, acute poliomyelitis and lethargic encephalitis.

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During the week ending 1st August 1936 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, those burghs which at the date of the 1931 Census had populations of over 30,000, the births of 836 living children, 432 marriages, and 579 deaths. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 520. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 17·2 per thousand, the marriage-rate 8·9, and the death-rate (corrected) 10·7.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·7 less than in the previous week, and 1·2 below the average. The marriage-rate is 10·3 less than in the previous week, but 0·1 above the average. The death-rate is 0·4 less than in the previous week, but 0·2 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 17·6 in Perth and 15·0 in Hamilton, to 3·5 in Kirkcaldy and 7·9 in Kilmarnock. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Dundee (13·2), in Aberdeen (11·0), in Falkirk (11·0) and in Edinburgh (10·8). In Glasgow the rate was (10·6).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 20, and are the same as in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·4 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, 5 from measles, 3 from scarlet fever, 3 from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, 3 from influenza, 2 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 2 from other epidemic diseases, of which 1 was ascribed to dysentery and 1 to lethargic encephalitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from measles are the same, from scarlet fever 2 more, from whooping-cough 3 fewer, from diphtheria the same, from influenza 1 more, from cerebro-spinal fever 1 more, and from other epidemic diseases 1 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 53, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·1 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·1 more than in the previous week, and is 0·2 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 66 and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 203. The former are 5 more than in the previous week, but the latter are 28 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 17, and are 2 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for ten of the towns named in the Table was 57°·0, being 0°·5 above that for the previous week, but 1°·0 below the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930. The mean rainfall was 1·11 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1936. (Provisional.)	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW,	1,124,300	409	111	247	34	15	228	10·6	0·4	30	78	0	3	1	2	1	1	1	0	22	10	7	68·2	43·6	57·0	1·06	21·0	1.
2. EDINBURGH,	464,600	135	108	117	26	5	96	10·8	0·3	9	39	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	9	0	4	67·0	46·0	56·7	0·62	41·0	2.
3. DUNDEE,	178,700	37	86	48	5	2	45	13·2	0·0	2	30	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	4	72·0	46·0	58·8	1·11	42·4	3.
4. ABERDEEN,	176,400	46	37	48	14	3	37	11·0	0·6	5	15	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	2	0	1	71·0	43·0	56·7	0·88	40·0	4.
5. PAISLEY,	89,700	30	21	14	0	1	15	8·7	0·0	4	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	71·1	44·8	58·4	0·92	28·1	5.
6. GREENOCK,	80,200	31	19	13	0	3	16	10·4	1·3	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	1	66·4	46·9	57·2	1·38	25·7	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	66,400	30	4	9	0	4	13	10·2	0·0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK,	48,500	12	2	4	0	4	8	8·6	0·0	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY,	44,700	13	1	4	1	0	3	3·5	0·0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE,	43,800	15	2	6	0	2	8	9·5	2·4	1	3	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK,	39,900	13	22	7	3	2	6	7·9	0·0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	69·2	43·2	56·6	1·66	22·3	11.
12. HAMILTON,	38,400	17	2	7	0	4	11	15·0	0·0	3	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR,	40,300	16	5	17	10	0	7	9·1	0·0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	13.
14. FALKIRK,	38,000	12	2	15	7	0	8	11·0	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE,	36,300	12	2	10	4	1	7	10·1	0·0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	68·0	43·0	56·6	1·12	34·4	15.
16. PERTH,	35,700	8	8	13	1	0	12	17·6	2·9	4	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	2	0	73·0	40·0	54·7	1·20	31·8	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Aug. 1, 1936,	2,546,000	836	432	579	105	46	520	10·7	0·4	66	203	0	5	3	3	2	3	2	2	53	15	17	73·0	40·0	57·0	1·11	...	Total 16 Towns.
July 25, 1936,	2,546,000	873	933	580	82	44	542	11·1	0·4	61	231	0	5	1	6	2	2	1	3	51	13	19	72·0	35·0	56·5	1·60	...	
Aug. 3, 1935,	2,528,800	869	434	548	89	42	501	10·3	0·2	50	221	0	0	1	3	3	0	0	3	42	8	19	77·0	39·0	58·4	0·00	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

* Including typhus fever, smallpox, dysentery, erysipelas, acute poliomyelitis and lethargic encephalitis.

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No. 32. Week ending SATURDAY, AUGUST 8, 1936. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 8th August 1936 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, those burghs which at the date of the 1931 Census had populations of over 30,000, the births of 894 living children, 534 marriages, and 580 deaths. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 514. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 18·4 per thousand, the marriage-rate 11·0, and the death-rate (corrected) 10·6.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·2 more than in the previous week, and 0·3 above the average. The marriage-rate is 2·1 more than in the previous week, and 3·5 above the average. The death-rate is 0·1 less than in the previous week, but is the same as the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 15·7 in Paisley and 15·6 in Ayr, to 2·8 in Falkirk and 4·3 in Dunfermline. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Kirkcaldy (12·9), in Dundee (12·3), in Coatbridge (11·9), and in Glasgow (11·1). In Edinburgh the rate was 9·1.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 14, and are 6 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·3 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, 5 from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 1 from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, 1 from influenza, none from cerebro-spinal fever, and 4 from other epidemic diseases, of which 2 were ascribed to erysipelas and 2 to lethargic encephalitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from measles are the same, from scarlet fever 2 fewer, from whooping-cough 2 fewer, from diphtheria the same, from influenza 2 fewer, and from other epidemic diseases 2 more.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 45, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·9 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·2 less than in the previous week, and is 0·1 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 54 and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 204. The former are 12 fewer than in the previous week, but the latter are 1 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 29, and are 12 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for ten of the towns named in the Table was 57°·0, being the same as that for the previous week, but 1°·4 below the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930. The mean rainfall was 0·60 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1936. (Provisional.)	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW,	1,124,300	410	219	272	37	4	239	11·1	0·3	28	85	0	1	1	1	0	1	0	3	25	8	14	66·2	47·5	57·6	0·58	25·3	1.
2. EDINBURGH,	464,600	154	116	100	23	4	81	9·1	0·1	1	37	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	11	0	4	69·0	46·0	56·9	0·45	40·7	2.
3. DUNDEE,	178,700	64	19	47	8	3	42	12·3	0·3	3	18	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	1	69·0	48·0	58·3	0·23	37·0	3.
4. ABERDEEN,	176,400	64	46	41	9	3	35	10·4	0·0	6	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	4	71·0	41·0	56·1	0·70	30·8	4.
5. PAISLEY,	89,700	36	40	23	1	5	27	15·7	0·0	5	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	69·3	45·4	58·2	0·39	25·1	5.
6. GREENOCK,	80,200	32	18	15	3	2	14	9·1	0·0	3	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	67·0	49·4	58·0	0·45	27·0	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	66,400	14	10	9	0	1	10	7·9	1·6	1	4	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK,	48,500	16	6	4	0	4	8	8·6	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY,	44,700	15	7	10	1	2	11	12·9	0·0	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE,	43,800	22	3	7	0	3	10	11·9	0·0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK,	39,900	16	11	7	1	1	7	9·2	0·0	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	67·8	42·0	57·1	1·54	30·5	11.
12. HAMILTON,	38,400	13	11	6	1	2	7	9·5	0·0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR,	40,300	7	9	17	6	1	12	15·6	2·6	0	8	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	67·0	50 0	57·3	0·92	25·7	13.
14. FALKIRK,	38,000	9	6	5	3	0	2	2·8	1·4	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE,	36,300	12	5	8	5	0	3	4·3	0·0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	68·0	43·0	56·7	0·49	31·8	15.
16. PERTH,	35,700	10	8	9	4	1	6	8·8	0·0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	72·0	30·0	53·8	0·23	30·2	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Aug. 8, 1936,	2,546,000	894	534	580	102	36	514	10·6	0·3	54	204	0	5	1	1	2	1	0	4	45	13	29	72·0	30·0	57·0	0·60	...	Total 16 Towns.
Aug. 1, 1936,	2,546,000	836	432	579	105	46	520	10·7	0·4	66	203	0	5	3	3	2	3	2	2	53	15	17	73·0	40·0	56·8	1·08	...	
Aug. 10, 1935,	2,528,800	857	463	567	85	35	517	10·7	0·3	49	213	0	0	0	6	3	2	1	1	44	5	22	81·0	48·0	62·8	0·26	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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During the week ending 15th August 1936 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, those burghs which at the date of the 1931 Census had populations of over 30,000, the births of 832 living children, 369 marriages, and 581 deaths. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 526. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 17·1 per thousand, the marriage-rate 7·6, and the death-rate (corrected) 10·8.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·3 less than in the previous week, and 0·6 below the average. The marriage-rate is 3·4 less than in the previous week, but 0·8 above the average. The death-rate is 0·2 more than in the previous week, and 0·8 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 18·3 in Kilmarnock and 15·2 in Paisley, to 4·7 in Kirkcaldy and 5·2 in Greenock. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Ayr (14·3), in Dundee (11·4), in Aberdeen (11·3), and in Glasgow (11·2). In Edinburgh the rate was 10·4.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 14, and are 1 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·3 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, 1 from measles, 2 from scarlet fever, 5 from whooping-cough, 1 from diphtheria, 3 from influenza, 1 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 1 from lethargic encephalitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from measles are 4 fewer, from scarlet fever the same, from whooping-cough 4 more, from diphtheria 1 fewer,, from influenza 2 more, from cerebro-spinal fever 1 more, and from other epidemic diseases 3 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 48, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·0 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·1 more than in the previous week, and is 0·2 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 68 and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 229. The former are 14 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 25 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 22, and are 7 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for ten of the towns named in the Table was 59°·3, being 2·3 above that for the previous week, and 1°·7 above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930. The mean rainfall was 0·80 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1936. (Provisional.)	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW, ...	1,124,300	393	157	265	35	10	240	11·2	0·2	37	94	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	1	22	7	9	67·8	52·0	59·8	0·87	21·5	1.
2. EDINBURGH, . . .	464,600	119	89	109	20	3	92	10·4	0·3	12	42	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	7	0	4	69·0	50·0	59·4	0·55	27·6	2.
3. DUNDEE, ...	178,700	56	20	44	5	0	39	11·4	0·9	2	20	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	3	0	2	72·0	48·0	60·2	1·39	25·7	3.
4. ABERDEEN, ...	176,400	54	30	53	16	1	38	11·3	0·3	7	18	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	4	1	2	70·0	45·0	57·7	0·25	27·8	4.
5. PAISLEY, ...	89,700	32	2	23	4	7	26	15·2	1·2	3	12	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	70·8	51·0	60·7	0·44	24·3	5.
6. GREENOCK, ...	80,200	38	6	7	1	2	8	5·2	0·0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	69·0	51·8	59·8	0·76	18·9	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, ...	66,400	26	6	7	0	2	9	7·1	0·0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK, . . .	48,500	17	8	3	0	6	9	9·7	0·0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY, . . .	44,700	12	6	5	1	0	4	4·7	0·0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE, . .	43,800	17	4	7	0	2	9	10·7	0·0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK, . . .	39,900	8	2	14	2	2	14	18·3	0·0	1	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	69·8	48·4	60·1	1·18	20·5	11.
12. HAMILTON, ...	38,400	18	6	4	0	4	8	10·9	0·0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR, ...	40,300	17	6	16	6	1	11	14·3	0·0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	13.
14. FALKIRK, ...	38,000	7	7	5	0	0	5	6·9	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE, . .	36,300	7	12	7	2	2	7	10·1	0·0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	70·0	47·0	59·5	0·92	26·4	15.
16. PERTH, ...	35,700	11	8	12	5	0	7	10·2	1·5	2	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	72·0	33·0	56·5	0·88	21·1	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Aug. 15, 1936,	2,546,000	832	369	581	97	42	526	10·8	0·3	68	229	0	1	2	5	1	3	1	1	48	11	22	72·0	33·0	59·3	0·80	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
Aug. 8, 1936,	2,546,000	894	534	580	102	36	514	10·6	0·3	54	204	0	5	2	1	2	1	0	4	45	13	29	72·0	30·0	57·0	0·60	...	
Aug. 17, 1935,	2,528,800	840	339	530	83	35	482	9·9	0·3	34	191	1	2	1	5	1	1	1	4	31	5	28	76·0	39·0	58·4	0·54	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

* Including typhus fever, smallpox, dysentery, erysipelas, acute poliomyelitis and lethargic encephalitis.

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During the week ending 22nd August 1936 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, those burghs which at the date of the 1931 Census had populations of over 30,000, the births of 851 living children, 346 marriages, and 547 deaths. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 515. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 17·5 per thousand, the marriage-rate 7·1, and the death-rate (corrected) 10·6.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·4 more than in the previous week, and is the same as the average. The marriage-rate is 0·5 less than in the previous week, but 0·1 above the average. The death-rate is 0·2 less than in the previous week, but 0·4 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 14·3 in Dundee and 13·6 in Hamilton, to 4·4 in Perth and 7·2 in Coatbridge. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Motherwell and Wishaw (13·4), in Dunfermline (13·0), and in Kirkcaldy (11·7). In Glasgow the rate was 10·8 and in Edinburgh 10·1.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 13, and are 1 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·3 per thousand. They include 1 from typhoid fever, none from measles, none from scarlet fever, 7 from whooping-cough, 1 from diphtheria, 3 from influenza, none from cerebro-spinal fever, and 1 from lethargic encephalitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from typhoid fever are 1 more, from whooping-cough 2 more, from diphtheria the same, from influenza the same, and from other epidemic diseases the same.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 45, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·9 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·1 less than in the previous week, and is 0·1 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 48 and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 211. The former are 20 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 18 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 22, and are the same as in the previous week.

The mean temperature for ten of the towns named in the Table was 58°·1, being 1·2 below that for the previous week, but 1°·4 above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930. The mean rainfall was 0·36 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING AUGUST 22, 1936

TOWNS	Population Estimated to middle of 1936. (Provisional.)	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW,	1,124,300	392	166	249	30	13	232	10·8	0·3	30	77	0	0	0	5	0	1	0	0	24	6	9	68·3	50·9	58·6	0·51	29·4	1.
2. EDINBURGH,	464,600	131	81	104	19	5	90	10·1	0·1	2	40	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	7	2	6	69·0	49·0	58·7	0·02	42·6	2.
3. DUNDEE,	178,700	57	17	51	5	3	49	14·3	0·3	2	26	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	6	2	2	73·0	49·0	59·6	0·00	40·4	3.
4. ABERDEEN,	176,400	44	33	33	4	2	31	9·2	0·3	3	16	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	70·0	41·0	58·1	0·05	48·2	4.
5. PAISLEY,	89,700	37	1	16	1	0	15	8·7	0·0	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	70·5	50·7	58·7	0·63	36·2	5.
6. GREENOCK,	80,200	46	9	15	3	2	14	9·1	0·0	3	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	67·0	50·8	58·6	0·70	30·8	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	66,400	22	3	16	0	1	17	13·4	1·6	2	8	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK,	48,500	11	3	2	0	5	7	7·6	0·0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY,	44,700	13	4	11	1	0	10	11·7	1·2	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE,	43,800	28	5	4	0	2	6	7·2	0·0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK,	39,900	13	3	9	2	1	8	10·5	0·0	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	70·0	48·6	58·4	0·54	31·2	11.
12. HAMILTON,	38,400	17	4	10	0	0	10	13·6	1·4	2	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR,	40,300	12	4	10	4	2	8	10·4	0·0	2	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	67·0	49·0	58·1	1·07	33·9	13.
14. FALKIRK,	38,000	8	4	5	1	2	6	8·3	0·0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE,	36,300	13	7	8	1	2	9	13·0	0·0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	69·0	46·0	56·9	0·06	33·1	15.
16. PERTH,	35,700	7	2	4	2	1	3	4·4	0·0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	71·0	36·0	55·0	0·04	37·1	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Aug. 22, 1936,	**2,546,000**	**851**	**346**	**547**	**73**	**41**	**515**	**10·6**	**0·3**	**48**	**211**	**1**	**0**	**0**	**7**	**1**	**3**	**0**	**1**	**45**	**11**	**22**	**73·0**	**36·0**	**58·1**	**0·36**	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
Aug. 15, 1936,	2,546,000	832	369	581	97	42	526	10·8	0·3	68	229	0	1	2	5	1	3	1	1	48	11	22	72·0	33·0	59·3	0·80	...	
Aug. 24, 1935,	2,528,800	816	358	543	94	37	486	10·0	0·4	50	194	2	0	1	5	6	0	1	4	40	13	20	79·0	40·0	63·1	0·17	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

* Including typhus fever, smallpox, dysentery, erysipelas, acute poliomyelitis and lethargic encephalitis.

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During the week ending 29th August 1936 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, those burghs which at the date of the 1931 Census had populations of over 30,000, the births of 862 living children, 371 marriages, and 627 deaths. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 561. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 17·7 per thousand, the marriage-rate 7·6, and the death-rate (corrected) 11·5.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·2 more than in the previous week, but 0·1 below the average. The marriage-rate is 0·5 more than in the previous week, but 0·8 below the average. The death-rate is 0·9 more than in the previous week, and 0·7 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 20·5 in Perth and 18·1 in Motherwell and Wishaw, to 5·2 in Kilmarnock and 6·5 in Clydebank. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Aberdeen (14·5), in Greenock (13·7), in Falkirk (12·4), and in Dundee (12·3). In Glasgow the rate was 11·3 and in Edinburgh 10·6.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 11, and are 2 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·2 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, 2 from measles, none from scarlet fever, 2 from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria, 2 from influenza, 1 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 1 from lethargic encephalitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from measles are 2 more, from whooping-cough 5 fewer, from diphtheria 2 more, from influenza 1 fewer, from cerebro-spinal fever 1 more, and from other epidemic diseases the same.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 53, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·1 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·2 more than in the previous week, and is 0·1 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 68 and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 246. The former are 20 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 35 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 32, and are 10 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for ten of the towns named in the Table was 61°·9, being 3°·8 above that for the previous week, and 5°·9 above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930. It is almost the same as that recorded for the corresponding week of 1906 (61°·8), but is higher than in any other corresponding week since 1869 (62°·4). The mean rainfall was 0·12 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING AUGUST 29, 1936

TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1936. (Provisional.)	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW,	1,124,300	398	152	266	34	12	244	11·3	0·2	37	98	0	1	0	1	0	2	0	0	27	17	13	71·9	47·8	62·2	0·16	45·0	1.
2. EDINBURGH,	464,600	149	95	109	21	6	94	10·6	0·3	9	50	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	7	0	8	75·0	52·0	63·6	0·02	63·6	2.
3. DUNDEE,	178,700	53	20	53	11	0	42	12·3	0·0	6	17	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	1	77·0	53·0	64·4	0·00	62·2	3.
4. ABERDEEN,	176,400	56	36	57	11	3	49	14·5	0·3	3	18	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	3	0	4	72·0	46·0	59·3	0·00	58·5	4.
5. PAISLEY,	89,700	26	4	18	3	4	19	11·1	1·2	2	9	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	1	2	74·4	47·8	62·6	0·17	46·0	5.
6. GREENOCK,	80,200	32	6	23	2	0	21	13·7	0·0	2	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	1	71·0	51·0	61·8	0·33	42·2	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	66,400	21	7	18	0	5	23	18·1	0·8	3	7	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	4	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK,	48,500	13	6	4	0	2	6	6·5	0·0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY,	44,700	12	5	8	1	1	8	9·4	0·0	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE,	43,800	18	7	4	1	4	7	8·4	0·0	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK,	39,900	11	3	4	1	1	4	5·2	0·0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	73·6	45·0	61·3	0·31	49·1	11.
12. HAMILTON,	38,400	19	2	6	1	1	6	8·2	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR,	40,300	15	13	14	6	1	9	11·7	0·0	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	71·0	54·0	62·9	0·07	44·5	13.
14. FALKIRK,	38,000	17	2	14	6	1	9	12·4	0·0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE,	36,300	11	7	11	5	0	6	8·6	0·0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	75·0	51·0	63·2	0·17	60·6	15.
16. PERTH,	35,700	11	6	18	4	0	14	20·5	0·0	1	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	78·0	26·0	58·1	0·00	56·7	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Aug. 29, 1936,	2,546,000	862	371	627	107	41	561	11·5	0·2	68	246	0	2	0	2	3	2	1	1	53	24	32	78·0	26·0	61·9	0·12	...	Total 16 Towns.
Aug. 22, 1936,	2,546,000	851	346	547	73	41	515	10·6	0·3	48	211	1	0	0	7	1	3	0	1	45	11	22	73·0	36·0	58·1	0·36	...	
Aug. 31, 1935,	2,528,800	898	349	557	77	37	517	10·7	0·4	58	219	1	1	1	3	7	0	1	4	41	8	15	67·0	41·0	55·8	1·26	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

* Including typhus fever, smallpox, dysentery, erysipelas, acute poliomyelitis and lethargic encephalitis.

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During the week ending 5th September 1936 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, those burghs which at the date of the 1931 Census had populations of over 30,000, the births of 844 living children, 545 marriages, and 572 deaths. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 517. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 17·3 per thousand, the marriage-rate 11·2, and the death-rate (corrected) 10·6.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·4 less than in the previous week, but is the same as the average. The marriage-rate is 3·6 more than in the previous week, and 0·8 above the average. The death-rate is 0·9 less than in the previous week, but is the same as the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 14·4 in Dunfermline and 13·2 in Perth, to 5·4 in Clydebank, 5·4 in Hamilton and 5·5 in Falkirk. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Coatbridge (13·1), in Ayr (13·0), in Glasgow (12·4), and in Edinburgh (10·7).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 12, and are 1 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·2 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, none from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 2 from whooping-cough, 4 from diphtheria, 1 from influenza, 2 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 2 from other epidemic diseases, of which 1 was ascribed to lethargic encephalitis and 1 to acute poliomyelitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from scarlet fever are 1 more, from whooping-cough the same, from diphtheria 1 more, from influenza 1 fewer, from cerebro-spinal fever 1 more, and from other epidemic diseases 1 more.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 56, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·2 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·1 more than in the previous week, and is 0·1 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 72 and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 196. The former are 4 more than in the previous week, but the latter are 49 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 31, and are 1 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for ten of the towns named in the Table was 58°·6, being 3°·3 below that for the previous week, but 2°·9 above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930. The mean rainfall was 1·62 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1936. (Provisional.)	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW,	1,124,300	395	240	290	33	9	266	12·4	0·3	44	101	0	0	1	0	2	1	0	2	34	18	17	65·0	50·2	58·4	1·88	10·2	1.
2. EDINBURGH,	464,600	141	124	111	19	3	95	10·7	0·3	7	32	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	9	1	7	68·0	49·0	58·5	1·23	17·7	2.
3. DUNDEE,	178,700	49	25	31	5	3	29	8·5	0·0	5	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	71·0	47·0	57·7	1·84	13·3	3.
4. ABERDEEN,	176,400	69	37	35	9	1	27	8·0	0·0	1	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	66·0	47·0	57·4	0·96	25·3	4.
5. PAISLEY,	89,700	29	12	11	4	3	10	5·8	1·2	4	4	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	70·3	51·2	60·0	1·97	13·4	5.
6. GREENOCK,	80,200	32	15	14	0	0	14	9·1	0·0	2	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	66·2	50·3	58·5	1·61	12·8	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	66,400	18	8	10	1	0	9	7·1	0·0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK,	48,500	20	11	3	0	2	5	5·4	0·0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY,	44,700	15	11	7	0	0	7	8·2	0·0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE,	43,800	18	4	7	0	4	11	13·1	1·2	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK,	39,900	16	4	5	1	3	7	9·2	0·0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	67·0	46·8	59·9	1·38	11·2	11.
12. HAMILTON,	38,400	14	9	3	0	1	4	5·4	0·0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR,	40,300	9	12	16	8	2	10	13·0	0·0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	68·0	50·0	58·6	0·93	13·1	13.
14. FALKIRK,	38,000	10	10	5	1	0	4	5·5	0·0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE,	36,300	3	11	11	1	0	10	14·4	0·0	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	69·0	46·0	58·0	1·83	14·5	15.
16. PERTH,	35,700	6	12	13	5	1	9	13·2	0·0	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	70·0	...	...	2·61	16·2	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Sept. 5, 1936,	2,546,000	844	545	572	87	32	517	10·6	0·2	72	196	0	0	1	2	4	1	2	2	56	21	31	71·0	46·0	58·6	1·62	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
Aug. 29, 1936,	2,546,000	862	371	627	107	41	561	11·5	0·2	68	245	0	2	0	2	3	2	1	1	53	24	32	78·0	26·0	61·9	0·12	...	
Sept. 7, 1935,	2,531,500	806	591	510	82	42	470	9·7	0·2	54	187	0	0	0	1	4	3	0	3	49	12	18	67·0	38·0	55·7	0·94	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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No. 37. Week ending SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 1936. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 12th September 1936 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, those burghs which at the date of the 1931 Census had populations of over 30,000, the births of 817 living children, 485 marriages, and 567 deaths. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 521. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 16·8 per thousand, the marriage-rate 10·0, and the death-rate (corrected) 10·7.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·5 less than in the previous week and 0·5 below the average. The marriage-rate is 1·2 less than in the previous week, but 1·0 above the average. The death-rate is 0·1 more than in the previous week, but 0·7 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 18·7 in Dunfermline and 17·6 in Perth, to 4·1 in Falkirk and 5·8 in Paisley. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Coatbridge (14·3), in Clydebank (14·0), in Greenock (12·4), and in Hamilton (12·2). In Glasgow the rate was 11·1 and in Edinburgh 9·9.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 5, and are 7 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·1 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, none from measles, none from scarlet fever, 2 from whooping-cough, none from diphtheria, none from influenza, 3 from cerebro-spinal fever, and none from other epidemic diseases. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from whooping-cough are the same, and from cerebro-spinal fever 1 more.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 43, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·9 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·3 less than in the previous week, and is 0·3 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 71 and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 197. The former are 1 fewer than in the previous week, but the latter are 1 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 29, and are 2 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for ten of the towns named in the Table was 58°·8, being 0°·2 above that for the previous week, and 5°·2 above that for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930. This is the highest mean temperature recorded for the corresponding week of any year since 1898, when it was 59°·6. The mean rainfall was 1·11 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING SEPTEMBER 12, 1936.

TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1936. (Provisional.)	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW, ...	1,124,300	385	223	261	31	9	239	11·1	0·1	44	64	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	23	19	9	66·9	48·8	59·3	0·80	12·5	1.
2. EDINBURGH, . . .	464,600	140	112	94	9	3	88	9·9	0·0	3	47	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	8	68·0	51·0	58·4	0·79	20·5	2.
3. DUNDEE, ...	178,700	55	28	42	6	2	38	11·1	0·3	3	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	2	1	67·0	47·0	58·4	1·16	19·6	3.
4. ABERDEEN, ...	176,400	50	37	44	15	2	31	9·2	0·0	3	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	4	64·0	45·0	56·8	1·48	19·5	4.
5. PAISLEY, ...	89,700	29	9	9	0	1	10	5·8	0·0	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	67·9	50·3	60·0	0·98	16·9	5.
6. GREENOCK, ...	80,200	29	11	18	0	1	19	12·4	0·0	2	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	2	66·9	51·2	59·3	1·73	17·3	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, ...	66,400	20	6	9	0	0	9	7·1	0·8	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK, . . .	48,500	15	2	8	0	5	13	14·0	1·1	1	4	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY, . . .	44,700	10	6	11	1	0	10	11·7	0·0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE, . .	43,800	22	4	9	0	3	12	14·3	0·0	5	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK, . . .	39,900	13	10	10	2	0	8	10·5	0·0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	66·8	44·6	59·1	1·58	20·7	11.
12. HAMILTON, ...	38,400	12	10	4	0	5	9	12·2	0·0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR, ...	40,300	7	6	13	6	0	7	9·1	0·0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	67·0	47·0	59·1	1·23	15·9	13.
14. FALKIRK, ...	38,000	12	9	4	2	1	3	4·1	0·0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE, . .	36,300	9	5	18	6	1	13	18·7	0·0	1	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	70·0	46·0	59·0	0·78	18·3	15.
16. PERTH, ...	35,700	9	7	13	1	0	12	17·6	0·0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	71·0	...	...	0·61	20·3	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Sept. 12, 1936,	2,546,000	817	485	567	79	33	521	10·7	0·1	71	197	0	0	0	2	0	0	3	0	43	22	29	71·0	44·6	58·8	1·11	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
Sept. 5, 1936,	2,546,000	844	545	572	87	32	517	10·6	0·2	72	196	0	0	1	2	4	1	2	2	56	21	31	71·0	46·0	58·6	1·62	...	
Sept. 14, 1935,	2,531,500	784	477	639	99	31	571	11·8	0·3	53	239	0	0	0	2	4	3	1	4	54	7	29	67·0	37·0	54·9	0·53	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

* Including typhus fever, smallpox, dysentery, erysipelas, acute poliomyelitis and lethargic encephalitis.

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During the week ending 19th September 1936 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, those burghs which at the date of the 1931 Census had populations of over 30,000, the births of 850 living children, 468 marriages, and 592 deaths. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 538. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 17·5 per thousand, the marriage-rate 9·6, and the death-rate (corrected) 11·0.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·7 more than in the previous week but 0·1 below the average. The marriage-rate is 0·4 less than in the previous week and 0·8 below the average. The death-rate is 0·3 more than in the previous week and 0·5 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 15·5 in Coatbridge and 14·2 in Aberdeen, to 4·3 in Clydebank and 4·7 in Kirkcaldy. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Dundee (14·0), and in Kilmarnock (13·1). In Glasgow the rate was 10·4 and in Edinburgh 11·1.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 16, and are 11 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·3 per thousand. They include 1 from typhoid fever, 2 from measles, none from scarlet fever, 4 from whooping-cough, 4 from diphtheria, 2 from influenza, 3 from cerebro-spinal fever, and none from other epidemic diseases. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from typhoid fever are 1 more, from measles 2 more, from whooping-cough 2 more, from diptheria 4 more, from influenza 2 more, and from cerebro-spinal fever the same.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 39, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·8 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·1 less than in the previous week, and is 0·3 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 67 and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 210. The former are 4 fewer than in the previous week, but the latter are 13 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 29, and are the same as in the previous week.

The mean temperature for ten of the towns named in the Table was 57°·2, being 1°·6 below that for the previous week, but 5°·1 above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930. This is the highest mean temperature recorded for the corresponding week of any year since 1890, when it was 58°·9. The mean rainfall was 0·10 inch.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING SEPTEMBER 19, 1936.

TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1936. (Provisional.)	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW,	1,124,300	406	211	240	25	9	224	10·4	0·3	38	80	1	0	0	2	2	1	1	0	20	14	10	65·2	51·3	58·1	0·09	26·7	1.
2. EDINBURGH,	464,600	117	111	118	23	4	99	11·1	0·1	3	44	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	4	0	7	63·0	50·0	56·1	0·19	16·5	2.
3. DUNDEE,	178,700	56	20	51	4	1	48	14·0	0·9	6	20	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	4	2	2	68·0	47·0	58·1	0·00	24·0	3.
4. ABERDEEN,	176,400	52	32	49	4	3	48	14·2	0·6	4	20	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	3	0	3	62·0	45·0	55·1	0·02	23·6	4.
5. PAISLEY,	89,700	44	17	20	2	2	20	11·7	0·0	3	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	1	68·7	50·2	58·8	0·08	25·1	5.
6. GREENOCK,	80,200	33	5	20	3	1	18	11·7	0·7	4	7	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	66·3	51·0	58·4	0·21	34·3	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	66,400	24	5	13	0	0	13	10·2	0·8	3	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK,	48,500	19	5	4	0	0	4	4·3	0·0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY,	44,700	12	6	5	2	1	4	4·7	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE,	43,800	18	3	10	1	4	13	15·5	1·2	5	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK,	39,900	13	8	13	4	1	10	13·1	0·0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	69·0	46·0	57·2	0·15	43·2	11.
12. HAMILTON,	38,400	16	11	7	0	1	8	10·9	0·0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR,	40,300	13	20	11	5	3	9	11·7	0·0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	67·0	45·0	56·1	0·22	44·8	13.
14. FALKIRK,	38,000	12	3	9	3	0	6	8·3	0·0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE,	36,300	7	4	10	3	0	7	10·1	0·0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	68·0	48·0	57·3	0·02	21·9	15.
16. PERTH,	35,700	8	7	12	5	0	7	10·2	0·0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	69·0	...	...	0·04	22·3	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Sept. 19, 1936,	2,546,000	850	468	592	84	30	538	11·0	0·3	67	210	1	2	0	4	4	2	3	0	39	22	29	69·0	45·0	57·2	0·10	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
Sept. 12, 1936,	2,546,000	817	485	567	79	33	521	10·7	0·1	71	197	0	0	0	2	0	0	3	0	43	22	29	71·0	44·6	58·8	1·11	...	
Sept. 21, 1935,	2,531,500	806	453	595	100	40	535	11·0	0·4	55	222	1	0	0	4	6	4	1	4	56	11	33	65·0	43·0	55·5	2·12	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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During the week ending 26th September 1936 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, those burghs which at the date of the 1931 Census had populations of over 30,000, the births of 904 living children, 558 marriages, and 642 deaths. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 586. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 18·6 per thousand, the marriage-rate 11·5, and the death-rate (corrected) 12·0.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·1 more than in the previous week and 1·2 above the average. The marriage-rate is 1·9 more than in the previous week but 0·3 below the average. The death-rate is 1·0 more than in the previous week and 1·2 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 24·0 in Perth and 16·4 in Kirkcaldy, to 3·9 in Ayr and 6·5 in Clydebank. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Glasgow (13·3), in Kilmarnock (13·1) and in Aberdeen (12·7). In Edinburgh the rate was 10·9.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 14, and are 2 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·3 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, 4 from measles, none from scarlet fever, 3 from whooping-cough, 1 from diphtheria, 1 from influenza, 2 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 3 from other epidemic diseases, of which 2 were ascribed to erysipelas and 1 to lethargic encephalitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from measles are 2 more, from whooping-cough 1 fewer, from diptheria 3 fewer, from influenza 1 fewer, from cerebro-spinal fever 1 fewer, and from other epidemic diseases 3 more.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 55, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·1 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·3 more than in the previous week, but is 0·1 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 67 and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 235. The former are the same as in the previous week, but the latter are 25 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 24, and are 5 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for ten of the towns named in the Table was 54°·1, being 3°·1 below that for the previous week, but 1°·6 above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930. The mean rainfall was 0·47 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1936. (Provisional.)	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW, ...	1,124,300	432	234	304	41	23	286	13·3	0·2	37	100	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	1	29	23	14	61·8	38·2	52·8	0·69	4·7	1.
2. EDINBURGH, . . .	464,600	118	128	118	23	2	97	10·9	0·1	6	55	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	12	2	3	64·0	41·0	53·9	0·68	13·4	2.
3. DUNDEE, ...	178,700	53	26	34	3	3	34	9·9	0·3	3	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	2	69·0	38·0	55·7	0·09	18·8	3.
4. ABERDEEN, ...	176,400	66	45	47	5	1	43	12·7	0·0	3	19	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	68·0	36·0	53·1	0·09	20·9	4.
5. PAISLEY, ...	89,700	40	21	21	4	3	20	11·7	0·0	5	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	4	0	62·4	37·3	53·1	0·80	4·6	5.
6. GREENOCK, ...	80,200	27	17	19	1	0	18	11·7	0·7	6	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	62·8	40·8	54·9	0·55	7·1	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, ...	66,400	27	16	12	0	2	14	11·0	1·6	2	2	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK, . . .	48,500	16	7	6	1	1	6	6·5	1·1	1	4	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY, . . .	44,700	19	5	14	1	1	14	16·4	0·0	2	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE, . .	43,800	23	8	7	2	2	7	8·4	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK, . . .	39,900	15	10	9	1	2	10	13·1	0·0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	67·2	34·0	54·7	0·71	14·1	11.
12. HAMILTON, ...	38,400	15	7	5	1	1	5	6·8	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR, ...	40,300	19	11	8	6	1	3	3·9	0·0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	13.
14. FALKIRK, ...	38,000	13	6	7	2	0	5	6·9	1·4	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE, . .	36,300	12	6	10	4	1	7	10·1	2·9	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	64·0	38·0	54·2	0·53	14·8	15.
16. PERTH, ...	35,700	9	11	21	5	1	17	24·9	0·0	2	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	68·0	...	...	0·08	15·0	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Sept. 26, 1936,	2,546,000	904	558	642	100	44	586	12·0	0·3	67	235	0	4	0	3	1	1	2	3	55	34	24	69·0	34·0	54·1	0·47	...	Total 16 Towns.
Sept. 19, 1936,	2,546,000	850	468	592	84	30	538	11·0	0·3	67	210	1	2	0	4	4	2	3	0	39	22	29	69·0	45·0	57·2	0·10	...	
Sept. 28, 1935,	2,531,500	855	516	589	86	39	542	11·2	0·4	52	223	1	3	2	4	5	2	0	1	52	15	26	65·0	33·0	50·2	1·11	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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During the week ending 3rd October 1936 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, those burghs which at the date of the 1931 Census had populations of over 30,000, the births of 793 living children, 707 marriages, and 617 deaths. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 567. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 16·3 per thousand, the marriage-rate 14·5, and the death-rate (corrected) 11·6.

The birth-rate of the week is 2·3 less than in the previous week and 2·6 below the average. The marriage-rate is 3·0 more than in the previous week and 3·7 above the average. The death-rate is 0·4 less than in the previous week, but 0·2 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 17·6 in Greenock and 15·0 in Hamilton, to 5·5 in Falkirk and 7·0 in Kirkcaldy. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Ayr (14·3), in Glasgow (12·4) in Paisley (12·2) and in Coatbridge (11·9). In Edinburgh the rate was 11·1.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 21, and are 7 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·4 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, none from measles, 2 from scarlet fever, 6 from whooping-cough, 7 from diphtheria, 3 from influenza, 1 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 2 from other epidemic diseases, both of which were ascribed to erysipelas. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from scarlet fever are 2 more, from whooping-cough 3 more, from diptheria 6 more, from influenza 2 more, from cerebro-spinal fever 1 fewer, and from other epidemic diseases 1 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 60, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·2 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·1 more than in the previous week, but is 0·2 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 77 and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 232. The former are 10 more than in the previous week, but the latter are 3 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 17, and are 7 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for ten of the towns named in the Table was 49°·3, being 4°·8 below that for the previous week, and 2°·0 below the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930. The mean rainfall was 0·02 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1936. (Provisional.)	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW,	1,124,300	361	371	291	39	14	266	12·4	0·4	44	93	0	0	0	4	1	2	0	1	29	25	8	57·9	38·0	48·8	0·00	20·5	1.
2. EDINBURGH,	464,600	137	105	110	16	5	99	11·1	0·3	10	50	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	10	2	2	56·0	41·0	49·3	0·03	24·9	2.
3. DUNDEE,	178,700	53	33	36	0	2	38	11·1	0·0	3	22	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	2	62·0	40·0	50·9	0·02	22·4	3.
4. ABERDEEN,	176,400	45	51	56	19	0	37	11·0	0·9	4	13	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	6	0	0	58·0	38·0	48·4	0·10	28·9	4.
5. PAISLEY,	89,700	28	18	17	1	5	21	12·2	1·2	3	7	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	3	0	61·3	37·7	49·6	0·00	22·0	5.
6. GREENOCK,	80,200	21	16	26	0	1	27	17·6	0·7	5	15	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	4	2	59·3	40·6	50·3	0·02	21·5	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	66,400	24	17	7	0	2	9	7·1	0·0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK,	48,500	12	19	5	0	3	8	8·6	1·1	0	5	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY,	44,700	14	3	6	0	0	6	7·0	1·2	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE,	43,800	18	9	6	0	4	10	11·9	0·0	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK,	39,900	18	15	11	3	0	8	10·5	0·0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	61·0	30·0	48·5	0·00	23·7	11.
12. HAMILTON,	38,400	18	13	9	1	3	11	15·0	1·4	2	4	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR,	40,300	13	14	17	8	2	11	14·3	1·3	3	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	13.
14. FALKIRK,	38,000	10	5	5	2	1	4	5·5	0·0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE,	36,300	12	8	7	1	0	6	8·6	0·0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	61·0	36·0	48·9	0·00	26·3	15.
16. PERTH,	35,700	9	10	8	2	0	6	8·8	0·0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	61·0	...	...	0·00	24·0	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Oct. 3, 1936,	**2,546,000**	**793**	**707**	**617**	**92**	**42**	**567**	**11·6**	**0·4**	**77**	**232**	**0**	**0**	**2**	**6**	**7**	**3**	**1**	**2**	**60**	**35**	**17**	**62·0**	**30·0**	**49·3**	**0·02**	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
Sept. 26, 1936,	2,546,000	904	558	642	100	44	586	12·0	0·3	67	235	0	4	0	3	1	1	2	3	55	34	24	69·0	34·0	54·1	0·47	...	
Oct. 5, 1935,	2,531,500	841	647	600	92	42	550	11·3	0·3	50	246	1	0	3	1	3	5	0	3	56	10	19	60·0	31·0	49·4	2·10	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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During the week ending 10th October 1936 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, those burghs which at the date of the 1931 Census had populations of over 30,000, the births of 848 living children, 468 marriages, and 682 deaths. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 630. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 17·4 per thousand, the marriage-rate 9·6, and the death-rate (corrected) 12·9.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·1 more than in the previous week but 0·6 below the average. The marriage-rate is 4·9 less than in the previous week but 2·7 above the average. The death-rate is 1·3 more than in the previous week and 1·3 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 17·6 in Perth and 16·9 in Ayr, to 5·4 in Clydebank and 7·9 in Kilmarnock. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Motherwell and Wishaw (15·7), in Falkirk (15·2), in Greenock (15·0), in Paisley (14·0), in Glasgow (13·4), and in Dundee (13·2). In Edinburgh the rate was 11·9.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 15, and are 6 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·3 per thousand. They include 1 from typhoid fever, 1 from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 4 from whooping-cough, 5 from diphtheria, none from influenza, 1 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 2 from other epidemic diseases, both of which were ascribed to dysentery. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from typhoid fever are 1 more, from measles 1 more, from scarlet fever 1 fewer, from whooping-cough 2 fewer, from diphtheria 2 fewer, from cerebro-spinal fever the same, and from other epidemic diseases the same.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 72, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·5 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·3 more than in the previous week, and is 0·2 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 78 and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 265. The former are 1 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 33 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 19, and are 2 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for ten of the towns named in the Table was 46°·1, being 3°·2 below that for the previous week, and 2°·9 below the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930. The mean rainfall was 0·04 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1936. (Provisional.)	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW, ...	1,124,300	409	196	325	49	13	289	13·4	0·4	46	105	1	1	1	2	1	0	1	1	34	17	6	54·8	34·5	45·1	0·02	11·5	1.
2. EDINBURGH, . . .	464,600	150	81	120	17	3	106	11·9	0·3	10	53	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	16	2	2	54·0	38·0	46·2	0·05	23·5	2.
3. DUNDEE, ...	178,700	42	71	50	5	0	45	13·2	0·3	4	24	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	2	57·0	35·0	47·4	0·08	19·3	3.
4. ABERDEEN, ...	176,400	52	29	47	8	1	40	11·9	0·0	1	20	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	1	54·0	33·0	45·1	0·12	23·3	4.
5. PAISLEY, ...	89,700	31	10	22	3	5	24	14·0	0·6	6	11	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	4	2	0	56·9	33·7	46·4	0·01	19·1	5.
6. GREENOCK, ...	80,200	34	11	25	3	1	23	15·0	0·7	5	4	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	4	56·0	39·0	47·4	0·01	28·3	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, ...	66,400	15	10	18	0	2	20	15·7	0·0	2	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	0	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK, . . .	48,500	11	5	4	0	1	5	5·4	0·0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY, . . .	44,700	12	13	10	0	0	10	11·7	0·0	1	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE, . .	43,800	16	5	8	0	2	10	11·9	0·0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK, . . .	39,900	15	5	5	0	1	6	7·9	0·0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	58·6	28·8	45·8	0·00	33·7	11.
12. HAMILTON, ...	38,400	18	1	6	0	3	9	12·2	0·0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR, ...	40,300	14	10	12	2	3	13	16·9	1·3	0	8	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	59·0	30·0	45·3	0·00	40·4	13.
14. FALKIRK, ...	38,000	11	6	11	2	2	11	15·2	0·0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE, . .	36,300	7	8	7	1	1	7	10·1	0·0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	58·0	35·0	46·5	0·01	20·4	15.
16. PERTH, ...	35,700	11	7	12	2	2	12	17·6	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	63·0	...	...	0·07	19·9	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Oct. 10, 1936,	**2,546,000**	**848**	**468**	**682**	**92**	**40**	**630**	**12·9**	**0·3**	**78**	**265**	**1**	**1**	**1**	**4**	**5**	**0**	**1**	**2**	**72**	**25**	**19**	**63·0**	**28·8**	**46·1**	**0·04**	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
Oct. 3, 1936,	2,546,000	793	707	617	92	42	567	11·6	0·4	77	232	0	0	2	6	7	3	1	2	60	35	17	62·0	30·0	49·3	0·02	...	
Oct. 12, 1935,	2,531,500	864	415	589	88	33	534	11·0	0·3	68	212	0	2	0	0	3	4	3	1	62	14	16	59·0	35·0	47·6	1·32	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

* Including typhus fever, smallpox, dysentery, erysipelas, acute poliomyelitis and lethargic encephalitis.

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During the week ending 17th October 1936 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, those burghs which at the date of the 1931 Census had populations of over 30,000, the births of 875 living children, 281 marriages and 717 deaths. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 676. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 18·0 per thousand, the marriage-rate 5·8, and the death-rate (corrected) 13·9.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·6 more than in the previous week and 0·3 above the average. The marriage-rate is 3·8 less than in the previous week but 0·2 above the average. The death-rate is 1·0 more than in the previous week and 2·4 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 23·1 in Hamilton and 19·0 in Perth, to 6·0 in Coatbridge and 8·2 in Kirkcaldy. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Clydebank (18·3), in Dunfermline (15·9), in Kilmarnock (15·7), in Ayr (15·6), and in Dundee (15·2). In Glasgow the rate was 14·7 and in Edinburgh 13·4.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 25, and are 10 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·5 per thousand. They include 1 from typhoid fever, 3 from measles, 3 from scarlet fever, 7 from whooping-cough, 4 from diphtheria, 4 from influenza, 1 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 2 from other epidemic diseases, both of which were ascribed to erysipelas. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from typhoid fever are the same, from measles 2 more, from scarlet fever 2 more, from whooping-cough 3 more, from diphtheria 1 fewer, from influenza 4 more, from cerebro-spinal fever the same, and from other epidemic diseases the same.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 99, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·0 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·5 more than in the previous week, and is 0·6 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 80 and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 285. The former are 2 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 20 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 25, and are 6 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for ten of the towns named in the Table was 51°·9, being 5°·8 above that for the previous week, and 4°·2 above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930. The mean rainfall was 0·95 inch.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1936. (Provisional.)	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Paratyphoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW,	1,124,300	423	113	337	36	16	317	14·7	0·5	50	109	0	2	2	3	0	2	1	0	51	17	7	59·7	42·8	52·5	1·22	16·8	1.
2. EDINBURGH,	464,600	123	59	132	25	12	119	13·4	0·2	7	66	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	15	0	7	58·0	43·0	50·9	0·22	20·5	2.
3. DUNDEE,	178,700	60	14	53	5	4	52	15·2	1·8	4	23	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	2	6	0	2	60·0	42·0	51·2	0·35	27·1	3.
4. ABERDEEN,	176,400	54	24	45	10	2	37	11·0	0·0	2	18	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	4	60·0	41·0	50·6	0·41	27·6	4.
5. PAISLEY,	89,700	18	9	19	4	3	18	10·5	0·6	5	8	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	3	3	1	61·6	42·0	52·9	1·57	18·2	5.
6. GREENOCK,	80,200	33	9	18	1	2	19	12·4	0·7	1	8	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	2	59·0	45·0	52·8	2·18	15·0	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	66,400	28	8	10	0	2	12	9·4	0·0	2	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK,	48,500	11	6	13	0	4	17	18·3	0·0	2	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	1	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY,	44,700	15	5	7	0	0	7	8·2	0·0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE,	43,800	24	4	4	0	1	5	6·0	0·0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK,	39,900	16	4	14	4	2	12	15·7	1·3	3	4	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	3	0	0	60·6	38·4	52·7	1·40	19·3	11.
12. HAMILTON,	38,400	17	6	13	1	5	17	23·1	2·7	2	8	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	2	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR,	40,300	22	2	13	4	3	12	15·6	2·6	1	5	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	59·0	40·0	52·1	1·05	19·4	13.
14. FALKIRK,	38,000	15	4	11	3	0	8	11·0	0·0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE,	36,300	9	4	14	3	0	11	15·9	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	62·0	41·0	51·6	0·46	20·0	15.
16. PERTH,	35,700	7	10	14	3	2	13	19·0	0·0	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	62·0	...	...	0·61	24·6	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Oct. 17, 1936,	2,546,000	875	281	717	99	58	676	13·9	0·5	80	285	1	3	3	7	4	4	1	2	99	22	25	62·0	38·4	51·9	0·95	...	Total 16 Towns.
Oct. 10, 1936,	2,546,000	848	468	682	92	40	630	12·9	0·3	78	265	1	1	1	4	5	0	1	2	72	25	19	63·0	28·8	46·1	0·04	...	
Oct. 19, 1935,	2,531,500	845	276	603	94	43	552	11·4	0·3	77	228	0	2	2	2	2	2	1	3	58	18	26	59·4	34·0	51·2	1·50	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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No. 43. Week ending SATURDAY, OCTOBER 24, 1936. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 24th October 1936 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, those burghs which at the date of the 1931 Census had populations of over 30,000, the births of 904 living children, 292 marriages and 668 deaths. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 618. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 18·6 per thousand, the marriage-rate 6·0, and the death-rate (corrected) 12·7.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·6 more than in the previous week and 1·3 above the average. The marriage-rate is 0·2 more than in the previous week but 0·7 below the average. The death-rate is 1·2 less than in the previous week but 1·3 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 17·9 in Coatbridge and 14·6 in Paisley and in Perth, to 7·0 in Kirkcaldy and 7·2 in Dunfermline. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Glasgow (14·0), in Aberdeen (13·0), and in Clydebank (12·9). In Edinburgh the rate was 11·3.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 22, and are 3 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·5 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, 1 from measles, none from scarlet fever, 3 from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria, 5 from influenza, 2 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 8 from other epidemic diseases, of which 4 were ascribed to lethargic encephalitis, 2 to erysipelas and 2 to acute poliomyelitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from measles are 2 fewer, from whooping-cough 4 fewer, from diphtheria 1 fewer, from influenza 1 more, from cerebro-spinal fever 1 more, and from other epidemic diseases 6 more.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 94, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·9 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·1 less than in the previous week, but is 0·4 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 89 and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 246. The former are 9 more than in the previous week, but the latter are 39 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 29, and are 4 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for ten of the towns named in the Table was 50°·7, being 1°·2 below that for the previous week, but 4°·9 above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930. The mean rainfall was 1·38 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1936. (Provisional.)	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW, ...	1,124,300	421	132	330	38	8	300	14·0	0·4	43	109	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	4	61	22	10	58·7	39·9	50·9	1·45	10·0	1.
2. EDINBURGH, . . .	464,600	153	52	109	13	4	100	11·3	0·5	11	44	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	15	1	8	59·0	37·0	49·4	0·74	22·3	2.
3. DUNDEE, ...	178,700	76	15	44	3	0	41	12·0	0·3	7	14	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	4	1	3	63·0	38·0	51·6	0·54	21·3	3.
4. ABERDEEN, ...	176,400	52	35	50	7	1	44	13·0	0·3	3	26	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	4	1	4	68·0	35·0	49·5	0·17	20·8	4.
5. PAISLEY, ...	89,700	33	6	21	1	5	25	14·6	0·0	5	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	60·5	39·8	51·2	1·98	15·9	5.
6. GREENOCK, ...	80,200	20	5	20	3	1	18	11·7	0·7	4	6	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	57·9	42·2	50·8	3·57	11·8	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, ...	66,400	30	9	8	0	3	11	8·7	0·0	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK, . . .	48,500	16	6	4	0	8	12	12·9	3·2	2	3	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY, . . .	44,700	6	4	7	1	0	6	7·0	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE, . .	43,800	17	2	15	1	1	15	17·9	1·2	4	7	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	3	1	..	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK, . . .	39,900	15	7	7	0	1	8	10·5	1·3	2	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	58·2	40·2	51·2	2·46	13·6	11.
12. HAMILTON, ...	38,400	13	1	8	0	0	8	10·9	2·7	3	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR, ...	40,300	16	5	12	6	1	7	9·1	0·0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	59·0	40·0	51·4	1·14	12·3	13.
14. FALKIRK, ...	38,000	12	7	9	2	1	8	11·0	0·0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE, . .	36,300	13	1	8	3	0	5	7·2	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	59·0	38·0	50·1	0·78	16·0	15.
16. PERTH, ...	35,700	11	5	16	6	0	10	14·6	0·0	1	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	62·0	37·0	50·5	0·96	15·7	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Oct. 24, 1936,	**2,546,000**	**904**	**292**	**668**	**84**	**34**	**618**	**12·7**	**0·5**	**89**	**246**	**0**	**1**	**0**	**3**	**3**	**5**	**2**	**8**	**94**	**35**	**29**	**68·0**	**35·0**	**50·7**	**1·38**	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
Oct. 17, 1936,	2,546,000	875	281	717	99	58	676	13·9	0·5	80	285	1	3	3	7	4	4	1	2	99	22	25	62·0	38·4	51·9	0·95	...	
Oct. 26, 1935,	2,531,500	894	319	616	95	38	559	11·5	0·3	64	233	1	0	0	1	3	5	1	3	62	9	29	57·0	28 0	43·0	1·07	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

* Including typhus fever, smallpox, dysentery, erysipelas, acute poliomyelitis and lethargic encephalitis.

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During the week ending 31st October 1936 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, those burghs which at the date of the 1931 Census had populations of over 30,000, the births of 800 living children, 308 marriages and 651 deaths. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 597. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 16·4 per thousand, the marriage-rate 6·3, and the death-rate (corrected) 12·3.

The birth-rate of the week is 2·2 less than in the previous week and 1·4 below the average. The marriage-rate is 0·3 more than in the previous week but 2·8 below the average. The death-rate is 0·4 less than in the previous week and 0·1 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 18·2 in Ayr and 16·7 in Coatbridge, to 8·2 in Hamilton and 8·8 in Perth. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Kirkcaldy (16·4), in Paisley (16·3), in Edinburgh (12·8) and in Glasgow (12·6).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 17, and are 5 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·3 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, none from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 2 from whooping-cough, 5 from diphtheria, 4 from influenza, 3 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 2 from other epidemic diseases, of which 1 was ascribed to lethargic encephalitis and 1 to dysentery. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from scarlet fever are 1 more, from whooping-cough 1 fewer, from diphtheria 2 more, from influenza 1 fewer, from cerebro-spinal fever 1 more, and from other epidemic diseases 6 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 78, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·6 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·3 less than in the previous week, but is 0·1 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 82 and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 257. The former are 7 fewer than in the previous week, but the latter are 11 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 27, and are 2 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for ten of the towns named in the Table was 44°·6, being 6°·1 below that for the previous week, and 0°·5 below the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930. The mean rainfall was 0·89 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1936. (Provisional.)	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW, ...	1,124,300	364	153	302	38	8	272	12·6	0·3	58	104	0	0	1	1	1	1	2	1	42	21	14	56·2	36·7	45·5	1·05	12·9	1.
2. EDINBURGH, . . .	464,600	121	50	129	18	3	114	12·8	0·2	7	59	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	12	1	10	59·0	36·0	44·9	0·34	25·3	2.
3. DUNDEE, ...	178,700	47	15	35	2	0	33	9·7	0·3	2	15	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	5	0	0	53·0	34·0	43·5	0·44	28·4	3.
4. ABERDEEN, ...	176,400	56	24	46	10	1	37	11·0	0·3	4	17	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	54·0	33·0	43·9	0·44	26·3	4.
5. PAISLEY, ...	89,700	35	8	22	1	7	28	16·3	1·7	4	13	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	3	0	0	56·3	37·2	45·8	1·04	15·2	5.
6. GREENOCK, ...	80,200	29	9	18	2	0	16	10·4	0·0	2	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	57·0	37·4	45·4	1·96	11·9	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, ...	66,400	27	3	12	0	0	12	9·4	0·8	2	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK, . . .	48,500	11	3	5	0	4	9	9·7	0·0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY, . . .	44,700	9	6	13	1	2	14	16·4	0·0	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE, . .	43,800	16	5	11	0	3	14	16·7	1·2	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	4	1	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK, . . .	39,900	12	5	12	5	1	8	10·5	0·0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	57·0	29·2	44·7	1·42	14·4	11.
12. HAMILTON, ...	38,400	22	6	5	1	2	6	8·2	0·0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR, ...	40,300	14	4	14	2	2	14	18·2	1·3	1	8	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	13.
14. FALKIRK, ...	38,000	9	6	10	3	0	7	9·6	0·0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE, . .	36,300	16	6	7	1	1	7	10·1	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	56·0	33·0	43·8	0·73	21·7	15.
16. PERTH, ...	35,700	12	5	10	5	1	6	8·8	0·0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	58·0	27·0	43·7	0·60	20·4	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Oct. 31, 1936,	2,546,000	800	308	651	89	35	597	12·3	0·3	82	257	0	0	1	2	5	4	3	2	78	25	27	59·0	27·0	44·6	0·89	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
Oct. 24, 1936,	2,546,000	904	292	668	84	34	618	12·7	0·5	89	246	0	1	0	3	3	5	2	8	94	35	29	68·0	35·0	50·7	1·38	...	
Nov. 2, 1935,	2,531,500	866	449	615	83	31	563	11·6	0·4	62	247	0	3	1	0	4	6	1	3	69	10	24	57·3	32·0	45·7	1·42	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

* Including typhus fever, smallpox, dysentery, erysipelas, acute poliomyelitis and lethargic encephalitis.

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During the week ending 7th November 1936 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, those burghs which at the date of the 1931 Census had populations of over 30,000, the births of 845 living children, 433 marriages and 743 deaths. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 671. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 17·4 per thousand, the marriage-rate 8·9, and the death-rate (corrected) 13·8.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·0 more than in the previous week and 0·2 above the average. The marriage-rate is 2·6 more than in the previous week and 2·7 above the average. The death-rate is 1·5 more than in the previous week and 0·4 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 22·0 in Ayr and 18·1 in Motherwell and Wishaw to 5·9 in Perth and 7·2 in Dunfermline. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Paisley (16·3) and in Glasgow (15·9). In Edinburgh the rate was 11·3.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 23, and are 6 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·5 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, none from measles, 2 from scarlet fever, 4 from whooping-cough, 5 from diphtheria, 9 from influenza, 1 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 2 from other epidemic diseases, of which 1 was ascribed to erysipelas and 1 to lethargic encephalitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from scarlet fever are 1 more, from whooping-cough 2 more, from diphtheria the same, from influenza 5 more, from cerebro-spinal fever 2 fewer, and from other epidemic diseases the same.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 90, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·8 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·2 more than in the previous week, but is 0·1 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 91 and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 262. The former are 9 more than in the previous week and the latter are 5 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 28, and are 1 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for ten of the towns named in the Table was 45°·5, being 0°·9 above that for the previous week, and 3°·0 above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930. The mean rainfall was 0·84 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 7, 1936.

TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1936. (Provisional.)	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW, ...	1,124,300	436	221	386	48	4	342	15·9	0·5	61	120	0	0	0	3	3	4	1	0	52	15	13	52·7	38·5	45·6	0·86	5·9	1.
2. EDINBURGH, . . .	464,600	116	68	114	15	1	100	11·3	0·2	7	48	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	13	0	7	51·0	39·0	45·4	0·43	20·4	2.
3. DUNDEE, ...	178,700	49	16	49	4	1	46	13·5	0·9	2	23	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	3	1	0	55·0	37·0	45·1	0·62	19·2	3.
4. ABERDEEN, ...	176,400	50	31	49	9	0	40	11·9	0·3	1	19	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	3	0	1	54·0	39·0	45·6	0·83	12·5	4.
5. PAISLEY, ...	89,700	31	13	30	3	1	28	16·3	0·0	4	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	2	54·2	40·8	46·6	1·07	6·9	5.
6. GREENOCK, ...	80,200	18	14	18	3	0	15	9·8	0·7	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	4	0	1	52·4	40·2	46·2	1·31	5·2	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, ...	66,400	23	13	19	0	4	23	18·1	0·0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK, . . .	48,500	18	5	4	0	7	11	11·9	2·2	3	6	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY, . . .	44,700	14	6	9	1	1	9	10·5	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE, . . .	43,800	20	7	8	0	0	8	9·5	3·6	2	4	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK, . . .	39,900	14	10	8	2	1	7	9·2	0·0	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	53·2	35·5	45·5	0·90	9·8	11.
12. HAMILTON, ...	38,400	19	6	5	0	2	7	9·5	0·0	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR, ...	40,300	15	3	20	4	1	17	22·0	0·0	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	53·0	36·0	45·9	0·58	9·2	13.
14. FALKIRK, ...	38,000	13	6	10	2	1	9	12·4	0·0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE, . .	36,300	4	6	8	4	1	5	7·2	0·0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	52·0	37·0	44·7	0·88	14·4	15.
16. PERTH, ...	35,700	5	8	6	2	0	4	5·9	0·0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	54·0	30·0	43·9	0·95	14·3	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Nov. 7, 1936,	**2,546,000**	**845**	**433**	**743**	**97**	**25**	**671**	**13·8**	**0·5**	**91**	**262**	**0**	**0**	**2**	**4**	**5**	**9**	**1**	**2**	**90**	**20**	**28**	**55·0**	**30·0**	**45·5**	**0·84**	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
Oct. 31, 1936,	2,546,000	800	308	651	89	35	597	12·3	0·3	82	257	0	0	1	2	5	4	3	2	78	25	27	59·0	27·0	44·6	0·89	...	
Nov. 9, 1935,	2,531,500	791	349	685	89	33	629	13·0	0·4	76	279	0	2	0	0	4	7	0	6	78	9	21	58·9	31·0	43·8	0·91	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

* Including typhus fever, smallpox, dysentery, erysipelas, acute poliomyelitis and lethargic encephalitis.

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During the week ending 14th November 1936 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, those burghs which at the date of the 1931 Census had populations of over 30,000, the births of 825 living children, 302 marriages and 684 deaths. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 625. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 16·9 per thousand, the marriage-rate 6·2, and the death-rate (corrected) 12·8.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·5 less than in the previous week and 0·8 below the average. The marriage-rate is 2·7 less than in the previous week but 0·9 above the average. The death-rate is 1·0 less than in the previous week and 1·0 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 17·5 in Paisley and 15·9 in Dunfermline, to 2·7 in Hamilton and 7·2 in Coatbridge. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Dundee (14·0), in Glasgow (13·4), and in Edinburgh (13·4).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 17, and are 6 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·3 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, none from measles, none from scarlet fever, 4 from whooping-cough, 4 from diphtheria, 5 from influenza, 1 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 3 from other epidemic diseases, of which 1 was ascribed to dysentery, 1 to erysipelas and 1 to lethargic encephalitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from whooping-cough are the same, from diphtheria 1 fewer, from influenza 4 fewer, from cerebro-spinal fever the same, and from other epidemic diseases 1 more.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 100, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·1 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·3 more than in the previous week, but is 0·1 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 77 and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 269. The former are 14 fewer than in the previous week but the latter are 7 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 28, and are the same as in the previous week.

The mean temperature for ten of the towns named in the Table was 41°·1, being 4°·4 below that for the previous week, and 0°·5 below the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930. The mean rainfall was 1·02 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 14, 1936.

TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1936. (Provisional.)	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW,	1,124,300	415	142	318	40	10	288	13·4	0·5	51	102	0	0	0	3	3	2	1	1	55	4	10	47·6	31·8	41·1	1·50	0·9	1.
2. EDINBURGH,	464,600	119	55	137	20	2	119	13·4	0·1	11	53	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	16	0	7	47·0	37·0	41·6	0·66	11·3	2.
3. DUNDEE,	178,700	52	16	48	3	3	48	14·0	0·3	2	31	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	6	0	2	46·0	32·0	40·4	0·20	12·8	3.
4. ABERDEEN,	176,400	44	37	50	12	0	38	11·3	0·3	2	18	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	2	49·0	29·0	41·7	0·14	18·6	4.
5. PAISLEY,	89,700	32	6	27	2	5	30	17·5	0·6	7	11	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	7	0	2	50·3	33·2	42·1	2·04	6·1	5.
6. GREENOCK,	80,200	28	5	14	0	1	15	9·8	0·0	1	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	50·2	36·0	43·1	2·16	3·7	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	66,400	27	5	12	0	3	15	11·8	1·6	0	9	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	3	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK,	48,500	12	4	5	0	6	11	11·9	0·0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY,	44,700	7	4	11	1	0	10	11·7	0·0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE,	43,800	12	2	7	1	0	6	7·2	1·2	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK,	39,900	15	2	10	3	0	7	9·2	0·0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	50·0	29·2	39·8	1·36	4·9	11.
12. HAMILTON,	38,400	13	3	2	0	0	2	2·7	0·0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR,	40,300	16	11	11	4	1	8	10·4	0·0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	50·0	30·0	42·2	0·88	4·3	13.
14. FALKIRK,	38,000	15	4	11	3	1	9	12·4	0·0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE,	36,300	14	2	12	2	1	11	15·9	0·0	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	48·0	32·0	40·4	1·00	5·4	15.
16. PERTH,	35,700	4	4	9	1	0	8	11·7	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	47·0	25·0	38·1	0·24	7·1	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Nov. 14, 1936,	2,546,000	825	302	684	92	33	625	12·8	0·3	77	269	0	0	0	4	4	5	1	3	100	4	28	50·3	25·0	41·1	1·02	...	Total 16 Towns.
Nov. 7, 1936,	2,546,000	845	433	743	97	25	671	13·8	0·5	91	262	0	0	2	4	5	9	1	2	90	20	28	55·0	30·0	45·5	0·84	...	
Nov. 16, 1935,	2,531,500	841	273	679	82	28	625	12·9	0·5	86	260	0	4	2	0	4	8	0	4	98	17	42	50·0	28·0	40·1	0·68	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

* Including typhus fever, smallpox, dysentery, erysipelas, acute poliomyelitis and lethargic encephalitis.

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During the week ending 21st November 1936 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, those burghs which at the date of the 1931 Census had populations of over 30,000, the births of 882 living children, 258 marriages and 677 deaths. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 616. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 18·1 per thousand, the marriage-rate 5·3, and the death-rate (corrected) 12·7.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·2 more than in the previous week and 0·5 above the average. The marriage-rate is 0·9 less than in the previous week and 0·7 below the average. The death-rate is 0·1 less than in the previous week and 1·0 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 21·3 in Motherwell and Wishaw and 14·4 in Kilmarnock, to 9·1 in Greenock and 9·5 in Aberdeen. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Coatbridge (14·3), in Paisley (14·0), in Glasgow (13·5), and in Dundee (12·9). In Edinburgh the rate was 11·4.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 20, and are 3 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·4 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, none from measles, 2 from scarlet fever, 6 from whooping-cough, 1 from diphtheria, 4 from influenza, 1 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 6 from other epidemic diseases, of which 3 were ascribed to lethargic encephalitis, 1 to dysentery, 1 to erysipelas and 1 to acute poliomyelitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from scarlet fever are 2 more, from whooping-cough 2 more, from diphtheria 3 fewer, from influenza 1 fewer, from cerebro-spinal fever the same, and from other epidemic diseases 3 more.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 86, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·8 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·3 less than in the previous week, and is 0·7 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 88 and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 269. The former are 11 more than in the previous week but the latter are the same.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 21, and are 7 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for ten of the towns named in the Table was 41°·6, being 0°·5 above that for the previous week, and 1°·3 above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930. The mean rainfall was 0·70 inch.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 21, 1936.

TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1936. (Provisional.)	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW,	1,124,300	402	98	329	44	5	290	13·5	0·4	55	102	0	0	1	4	0	3	0	0	56	9	10	49·0	30·8	42·0	0·76	6·6	1.
2. EDINBURGH,	464,600	156	61	124	24	1	101	11·4	0·7	11	53	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	3	7	2	4	49·0	34·0	42·1	0·87	15·5	2.
3. DUNDEE,	178,700	55	20	46	4	2	44	12·9	0·0	1	23	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	2	0	51·0	34·0	42·4	0·72	19·7	3.
4. ABERDEEN,	176,400	52	22	34	3	1	32	9·5	0·3	3	18	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	50·0	29·0	40·9	0·23	9·8	4.
5. PAISLEY,	89,700	33	9	26	3	1	24	14·0	0·0	3	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	53·1	30·0	42·1	0·87	8·7	5.
6. GREENOCK,	80,200	28	8	14	1	1	14	9·1	0·0	2	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	50·0	34·3	42·8	0·77	6·2	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	66,400	28	4	22	0	5	27	21·3	0·8	2	18	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	3	0	2	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK,	48,500	18	3	5	0	5	10	10·8	1·1	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	1	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY,	44,700	19	5	9	2	2	9	10·5	1·2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE,	43,800	19	3	8	0	4	12	14·3	0·0	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK,	39,900	12	1	11	2	2	11	14·4	1·3	2	6	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	49·8	25·8	40·1	0·78	12·3	11.
12. HAMILTON,	38,400	21	2	6	0	3	9	12·2	0·0	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR,	40,300	9	3	12	5	2	9	11·7	1·3	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	13.
14. FALKIRK,	38,000	12	6	10	1	0	9	12·4	0·0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE,	36,300	11	7	10	2	0	8	11·5	0·0	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	50·0	29·0	40·1	0·54	8·3	15.
16. PERTH,	35,700	7	6	11	4	0	7	10·2	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	52·0	28·0	41·6	0·74	11·5	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Nov. 21, 1936,	2,546,000	882	258	677	95	34	616	12·7	0·4	88	269	0	0	2	6	1	4	1	6	86	14	21	53·1	25·8	41·6	0·70	...	Total 16 Towns.
Nov. 14, 1936,	2,546,000	825	302	684	92	33	625	12·8	0·3	77	269	0	0	0	4	4	5	1	3	100	4	28	50·3	25·0	41·1	1·02	...	
Nov. 23, 1935,	2,531,500	850	304	715	102	39	652	13·4	0·5	91	267	1	2	2	0	6	9	2	3	105	14	22	50·1	30·0	43·0	1·29	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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During the week ending 28th November 1936 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, those burghs which at the date of the 1931 Census had populations of over 30,000, the births of 834 living children, 334 marriages and 839 deaths. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 777. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 17·1 per thousand, the marriage-rate 6·9, and the death-rate (corrected) 16·0.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·0 less than in the previous week, but is the same as the average. The marriage-rate is 1·6 more than in the previous week, but 0·2 below the average. The death-rate is 3·3 more than in the previous week and 2·2 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 36·3 in Ayr and 19·2 in Paisley, to 9·6 in Falkirk and 10·2 in Perth. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Glasgow (17·3), and in Dundee (17·0). In Edinburgh the rate was 14·6.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 34, and are 14 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·7 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, none from measles, 5 from scarlet fever, 11 from whooping-cough, 7 from diphtheria, 3 from influenza, 2 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 6 from other epidemic diseases, of which 3 were ascribed to dysentery and 3 to erysipelas. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from scarlet fever are 3 more, from whooping-cough 5 more, from diphtheria 6 more, from influenza 1 fewer, from cerebro-spinal fever 1 more, and from other epidemic diseases the same.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 146, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 3·0 per thousand. This death-rate is 1·2 more than in the previous week, and is 0·6 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 108 and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 322. The former are 20 more than in the previous week and the latter are 53 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 31, and are 10 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for ten of the towns named in the Table was 36°·2, being 5°·1 below that for the previous week, and 4°·9 below the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930. The mean rainfall was 0·19 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 28, 1936.

TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1936. (Provisional.)	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW,	1,124,300	414	145	414	52	11	373	17·3	0·7	62	138	0	0	2	4	2	3	0	3	92	6	13	48 8	27·5	36·2	0·13	1·0	1.
2. EDINBURGH,	464,600	109	68	144	17	3	130	14·6	0·3	6	72	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	23	2	7	45·0	28·0	37·4	0·15	15·1	2.
3. DUNDEE,	178,700	52	14	60	4	2	58	17·0	0·6	7	28	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	11	0	3	49·0	28·0	36·9	0·06	9·9	3.
4. ABERDEEN,	176,400	46	30	55	10	1	46	13·6	0·9	7	22	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	6	0	2	45·0	24·0	36·6	0·09	15·6	4.
5. PAISLEY,	89,700	26	11	34	3	2	33	19·2	1·2	1	18	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	44·0	27·3	36·1	0·23	3·5	5.
6. GREENOCK,	80,200	19	19	18	3	1	16	10·4	0·7	2	7	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	51·5	30·0	38·6	0·30	3·1	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	66,400	27	7	15	0	4	19	15·0	0·0	3	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK,	48,500	16	3	7	0	6	13	14·0	1·1	5	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	4	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY,	44,700	15	5	10	1	0	9	10·5	0·0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE,	43,800	21	4	10	0	2	12	14·3	2·4	1	4	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK,	39,900	14	1	9	2	2	9	11·8	1·3	1	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	48·9	25·0	36·0	0·48	5·6	11.
12. HAMILTON,	38,400	18	8	6	0	3	9	12·2	0·0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR,	40,300	21	6	30	6	4	28	36·3	6·5	6	10	0	0	1	0	4	0	0	0	2	1	1	45·0	24·0	35·5	0·14	11·5	13.
14. FALKIRK,	38,000	10	2	7	1	1	7	9·6	0·0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE,	36,300	12	5	10	3	1	8	11·5	0·0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	50·0	25·0	34·7	0·10	5·3	15.
16. PERTH,	35,700	14	6	10	3	0	7	10·2	0·0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	52·0	24·0	33·6	0·17	3·0	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Nov. 28, 1936,	2,546,000	834	334	839	105	43	777	16·0	0·7	108	322	0	0	5	11	7	3	2	6	146	9	31	52·0	24·0	36·2	0·19	...	Total 16 Towns.
Nov. 21, 1936,	2,546,000	882	258	677	95	34	616	12·7	0·4	88	269	0	0	2	6	1	4	1	6	86	14	21	53·1	24·0	41·3	0·70	...	
Nov. 30, 1935,	2,531,500	854	333	720	98	37	659	13·6	0·5	87	277	0	5	1	1	3	11	0	3	115	13	30	54·0	26·0	41·2	1·34	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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During the week ending 5th December 1936 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, those burghs which at the date of the 1931 Census had populations of over 30,000, the births of 817 living children, 401 marriages and 802 deaths. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 724. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 16·8 per thousand, the marriage-rate 8·2, and the death-rate (corrected) 14·9.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·3 less than in the previous week, and 0·7 below the average. The marriage-rate is 1·3 more than in the previous week, and 0·8 above the average. The death-rate is 1·1 less than in the previous week, but 0·3 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 19·7 in Kilmarnock, 17·9 in Coatbridge and 17·9 in Falkirk, to 11·1 in Greenock and 11·5 in Dunfermline. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Glasgow (16·7), in Perth (16·1), in Ayr (15·6) and in Clydebank (15·1). In Edinburgh the rate was 13·6.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 29, and are 5 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·6 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, none from measles, 2 from scarlet fever, 15 from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria, 5 from influenza, 1 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 3 from other epidemic diseases, of which 2 were ascribed to lethargic encephalitis and 1 to erysipelas. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from scarlet fever are 3 fewer, from whooping-cough 4 more, from diphtheria 4 fewer, from influenza 2 more, from cerebro-spinal fever 1 fewer, and from other epidemic diseases 3 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 147, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 3·0 per thousand. This death-rate is the same as in the previous week, but is 0·3 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 97 and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 299. The former are 11 fewer than in the previous week and the latter are 23 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 32, and are 1 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for ten of the towns named in the Table was 42°·0, being 5°·8 above that for the previous week, and 1°·4 above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930. The mean rainfall was 0·97 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1936. (Provisional.)	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW, ...	1,124,300	368	189	399	43	4	360	16·7	0·7	63	123	0	0	1	7	1	3	1	2	83	8	15	52·8	33·6	42·5	0·97	1·9	1.
2. EDINBURGH, . . .	464,600	119	90	146	28	3	121	13·6	0·5	7	59	0	0	0	3	1	0	0	0	21	0	7	52·0	32·0	41·6	0·40	15·4	2.
3. DUNDEE, ...	178,700	53	15	44	5	2	41	12·0	0·0	1	17	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	2	55·0	33·0	41·9	0·43	18·1	3.
4. ABERDEEN, ...	176,400	65	30	46	7	1	40	11·9	0·3	5	19	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	6	1	4	54·0	32·0	40·5	0·45	16·0	4.
5. PAISLEY, ...	89,700	34	11	20	3	4	21	12·2	0·0	3	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	53·0	33·1	43·4	1·20	4·2	5.
6. GREENOCK, ...	80,200	43	10	20	3	0	17	11·1	0·7	2	5	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	52·5	32·8	42·1	2·40	1·7	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, ...	66,400	9	7	14	1	2	15	11·8	0·8	1	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK, . . .	48,500	21	4	8	0	6	14	15·1	0·0	1	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY, . . .	44,700	10	5	11	0	1	12	14·0	0·0	3	5	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE, . . .	43,800	12	6	13	1	3	15	17·9	1·2	2	7	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	4	1	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK, . . .	39,900	13	9	13	1	3	15	19·7	1·3	2	9	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	1	0	51·4	27·0	42·5	1·76	3·2	11.
12. HAMILTON, ...	38,400	17	2	7	1	3	9	12·2	0·0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR, ...	40,300	12	6	20	8	0	12	15·6	3·9	1	7	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	53·0	33·0	43·6	1·04	7·0	13.
14. FALKIRK, ...	38,000	7	5	17	4	0	13	17·9	0·0	3	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE, . .	36,300	17	5	10	2	0	8	11·5	0·0	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	52·0	30·0	39·9	0·57	13·6	15.
16. PERTH, ...	35,700	17	7	14	3	0	11	16·1	1·5	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	55·0	33·0	42·4	0·50	14·1	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Dec. 5, 1936,	2,546,000	817	401	802	110	32	724	14·9	0·6	97	299	0	0	2	15	3	5	1	3	147	11	32	55·0	27·0	42·0	0·97	...	Total 16 Towns.
Nov. 28, 1936,	2,546,000	834	334	839	105	43	777	16·0	0·7	108	322	0	0	5	11	7	3	2	6	146	9	31	52·0	24·0	36·2	0·19	...	
Dec. 7, 1935,	2,531,500	878	448	795	91	31	735	15·1	0·7	92	339	1	1	3	4	9	10	1	6	121	10	21	45·3	21·0	36·6	0·36	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

* Including typhus fever, smallpox, dysentery, erysipelas, acute poliomyelitis and lethargic encephalitis.

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During the week ending 12th December 1936 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, those burghs which at the date of the 1931 Census had populations of over 30,000, the births of 842 living children, 305 marriages and 801 deaths. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 731. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 17·3 per thousand, the marriage-rate 6·3, and the death-rate (corrected) 15·0.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·5 more than in the previous week, but 0·5 below the average. The marriage-rate is 1·9 less than in the previous week, but 0·3 above the average. The death-rate is 0·1 more than in the previous week, but 0·4 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 19·6 in Greenock and 19·1 in Coatbridge, to 6·8 in Hamilton and 11·8 in Motherwell and Wishaw. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Dundee (18·1), in Dunfermline (15·9), in Kilmarnock (15·7) and in Glasgow (15·4). In Edinburgh the rate was 14·4.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 28, and are 1 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·6 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, none from measles, none from scarlet fever, 9 from whooping-cough, 6 from diphtheria, 9 from influenza, 1 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 3 from other epidemic diseases, of which 1 was ascribed to dysentery, 1 to erysipelas and 1 to acute poliomyelitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from whooping-cough are 6 fewer, from diphtheria 3 more, from influenza 4 more, from cerebro-spinal fever the same, and from other epidemic diseases the same.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 138, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·8 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·2 less than in the previous week, and is 0·4 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 86 and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 316. The former are 11 fewer than in the previous week but the latter are 17 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 38, and are 6 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for ten of the towns named in the Table was 37°·7, being 4°·3 below that for the previous week, and 1°·7 below the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930. The mean rainfall was 0·37 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1936. (Provisional.)	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW,	1,124,300	408	132	359	37	10	332	15·4	0·4	52	126	0	0	0	5	0	4	0	0	79	8	15	48·8	24·9	37·8	0·45	3·1	1.
2. EDINBURGH,	464,600	123	67	152	28	4	128	14·4	0·6	6	60	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	1	16	0	6	49·0	24·0	38·9	0·11	14·3	2.
3. DUNDEE,	178,700	47	15	68	7	1	62	18·1	0·9	6	34	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	13	0	3	46·0	25·0	37·3	0·15	15·7	3.
4. ABERDEEN,	176,400	58	27	50	8	2	44	13·0	0·9	2	23	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	2	1	2	46·0	26·0	37·1	0·48	13·4	4.
5. PAISLEY,	89,700	32	6	25	7	4	22	12·8	0·0	2	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	2	49·2	23·2	38·6	0·32	5·4	5.
6. GREENOCK,	80,200	30	5	31	1	0	30	19·6	0·7	4	12	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	4	0	4	49·1	25·5	38·3	0·80	2·0	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	66,400	30	8	13	0	2	15	11·8	0·0	2	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK,	48,500	11	1	7	1	7	13	14·0	0·0	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY,	44,700	7	1	12	0	0	12	14·0	0·0	1	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE,	43,800	18	5	13	1	4	16	19·1	2·4	3	6	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	2	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK,	39,900	13	5	13	2	1	12	15·7	2·6	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	2	0	3	48·8	18·0	36·2	0·50	10·8	11.
12. HAMILTON,	38,400	16	8	5	0	0	5	6·8	0·0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR,	40,300	14	9	13	4	1	10	13·0	1·3	1	4	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	3	0	0	49·0	32·0	40·0	0·45	9·5	13.
14. FALKIRK,	38,000	13	3	11	2	0	9	12·4	1·4	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE,	36,300	9	5	14	4	1	11	15·9	0·0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	46·0	22·0	36·1	0·26	7·7	15.
16. PERTH,	35,700	13	8	15	5	0	10	14·6	1·5	2	5	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	3	0	1	45·0	23·0	36·6	0·18	8·4	16.
Total, 16 Towns. week ending, Dec. 12, 1936,	2,546,000	842	305	801	107	37	731	15·0	0·6	86	316	0	0	0	9	6	9	1	3	138	9	38	49·2	18·0	37·7	0·37	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
Dec. 5, 1936,	2,546,000	817	401	802	110	32	724	14·9	0·6	97	299	0	0	2	15	3	5	1	3	147	11	32	55·0	27·0	42·0	0·97	...	
Dec. 14, 1935,	2,531,500	807	339	830	118	20	732	15·1	0·5	104	308	1	2	2	3	5	6	3	3	152	13	32	45·8	23·0	37·2	0·57	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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No. 51. Week ending SATURDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1936. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 19th December 1936 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, those burghs which at the date of the 1931 Census had populations of over 30,000, the births of 901 living children, 346 marriages and 811 deaths. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 758. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 18·5 per thousand, the marriage-rate 7·1, and the death-rate (corrected) 15·6.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·2 more than in the previous week, and 0·6 above the average. The marriage-rate is 0·8 more than in the previous week, but 0·6 below the average. The death-rate is 0·6 more than in the previous week, but 0·5 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 24·9 in Perth and 18·9 in Greenock, to 10·7 in Coatbridge and 11·8 in Kilmarnock. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Dunfermline (18·7), in Ayr (18·2), in Kirkcaldy (16·4), in Glasgow (16·3) and in Dundee (15·8). In Edinburgh the rate was 14·4.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 24, and are 4 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·5 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, none from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 9 from whooping-cough, 4 from diphtheria, 4 from influenza, 1 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 5 from other epidemic diseases, of which 1 was ascribed to dysentery and 4 to erysipelas. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from scarlet fever are 1 more, from whooping-cough the same, from diphtheria 2 fewer, from influenza 5 fewer, from cerebro-spinal fever the same, and from other epidemic diseases 2 more.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 144, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 3·0 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·2 more than in the previous week, but is 0·5 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 103 and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 326. The former are 17 more than in the previous week and the latter are 10 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 28, and are 10 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for ten of the towns named in the Table was 41°·9, being 4°·2 above that for the previous week, and 2°·7 above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930. The mean rainfall was 2·06 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING DECEMBER 19, 1936.

TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1936. (Provisional.)	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW,	1,124,300	415	143	387	47	10	350	16·3	0·4	63	131	0	0	0	5	1	0	0	2	81	7	14	52·8	34·5	42·2	2·10	2·2	1.
2. EDINBURGH,	464,600	123	56	144	20	4	128	14·4	0·3	10	67	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	21	0	3	54·0	32·0	41·1	0·95	13·4	2.
3. DUNDEE,	178,700	89	27	55	6	5	54	15·8	0·3	9	22	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	7	0	0	50·0	31·0	40·8	1·23	11·5	3.
4. ABERDEEN,	176,400	61	29	52	6	1	47	13·9	0·9	3	30	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	4	0	2	47·0	30·0	40·9	0·87	14·7	4.
5. PAISLEY,	89,700	29	11	23	2	4	25	14·6	1·7	2	9	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	4	1	2	52·6	34·8	42·5	3·12	4·9	5.
6. GREENOCK,	80,200	30	22	31	2	0	29	18·9	1·3	6	15	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	4	0	1	53·0	31·5	42·1	4·43	1·4	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	66,400	27	3	12	0	6	18	14·2	0·8	2	8	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	6	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK,	48,500	19	4	6	0	6	12	12·9	1·1	1	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	3	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY,	44,700	15	4	15	1	0	14	16·4	0·0	2	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE,	43,800	18	4	10	1	0	9	10·7	2·4	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK,	39,900	19	10	10	2	1	9	11·8	0·0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	2	53·0	32·4	42·7	2·36	4·7	11.
12. HAMILTON,	38,400	16	6	6	0	4	10	13·6	0·0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR,	40,300	17	7	15	2	1	14	18·2	0·0	1	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	55·0	31·0	43·8	2·15	4·9	13.
14. FALKIRK,	38,000	8	5	11	3	1	9	12·4	0·0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE,	36,300	7	5	18	7	2	13	18·7	0·0	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	53·0	31·0	40·9	0·99	12·7	15.
16. PERTH,	35,700	8	10	16	0	1	17	24·9	0·0	1	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	54·0	22·0	42·2	2·41	7·5	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Dec. 19, 1936,	2,546,000	901	346	811	99	46	758	15·6	0·5	103	326	0	0	1	9	4	4	1	5	144	9	28	55·0	22·0	41·9	2·06	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
Dec. 12, 1936,	2,546,000	842	305	801	107	37	731	15·0	0·6	86	316	0	0	0	9	6	9	1	3	138	9	38	49·2	18·0	37·7	0·37	...	
Dec. 21, 1935,	2,531,500	876	303	835	103	34	766	15·8	0·6	109	317	2	3	3	2	6	11	1	1	152	7	25	43·0	17·0	32·7	0·31	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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During the week ending 26th December 1936 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, those burghs which at the date of the 1931 Census had populations of over 30,000, the births of 708 living children, 520 marriages and 748 deaths. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 688. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 14·5 per thousand, the marriage-rate 10·7, and the death-rate (corrected) 14·1.

The birth-rate of the week is 4·0 less than in the previous week, and 3·7 below the average. The marriage-rate is 3·6 more than in the previous week, but 7·5 below the average. The death-rate is 1·5 less than in the previous week, and 2·8 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 18·9 in Motherwell and Wishaw and 18·7 in Dunfermline, to 10·7 in Coatbridge and 10·8 in Clydebank. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Falkirk (17·9), in Hamilton (17·7), in Kirkcaldy (17·5) and in Greenock (16·9). In Glasgow the rate was 13·4 and in Edinburgh 14·5.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 24, and are the same as in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·5 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, none from measles, 2 from scarlet fever, 4 from whooping-cough, 8 from diphtheria, 8 from influenza, none from cerebro-spinal fever, and 2 from other epidemic diseases, both of which were ascribed to erysipelas. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from scarlet fever are 1 more, from whooping-cough 5 fewer, from diphtheria 4 more, from influenza 4 more, and from other epidemic diseases 3 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 125, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·6 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·4 less than in the previous week, and is 1·2 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 86 and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 305. The former are 17 fewer than in the previous week and the latter are 21 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 19, and are 9 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for ten of the towns named in the Table was 44°·7, being 2°·8 above that for the previous week, and 5°·8 above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930. The mean rainfall was 0·81 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1936. (Provisional.)	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW,	1,124,300	309	219	314	36	11	289	13·4	0·5	43	115	0	0	1	2	3	4	0	1	56	5	9	51·3	36·3	44·8	1·07	1·1	1.
2. EDINBURGH,	464,600	109	110	151	22	0	129	14·5	0·7	7	71	0	0	0	1	4	0	0	1	19	0	4	52·0	36·0	45·4	0·30	7·7	2.
3. DUNDEE,	178,700	63	24	51	6	3	48	14·0	0·0	5	26	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	52·0	34·0	44·1	0·36	13·4	3.
4. ABERDEEN,	176,400	55	39	53	9	1	45	13·3	0·3	5	21	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	6	0	1	54·0	34·0	45·3	0·23	8·4	4.
5. PAISLEY,	89,700	29	34	23	5	4	22	12·8	1·2	3	7	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	4	0	2	50·9	36·1	44·8	1·25	1·9	5.
6. GREENOCK,	80,200	29	23	27	2	1	26	16·9	0·7	2	10	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	5	0	3	49·8	36·3	45·0	1·37	0·4	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	66,400	12	5	20	0	4	24	18·9	0·8	2	10	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	6	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK,	48,500	14	10	7	1	4	10	10·8	0·0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY,	44,700	8	4	14	1	2	15	17·5	1·2	3	9	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE,	43,800	13	9	10	1	0	9	10·7	0·0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK,	39,900	15	8	11	1	2	12	15·7	0·0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	51·0	31·6	44·0	1·43	0·0	11.
12. HAMILTON,	38,400	17	9	10	0	3	13	17·7	0·0	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR,	40,300	12	8	16	7	0	9	11·7	1·3	1	4	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	54·0	36·0	45·6	0·76	0·1	13.
14. FALKIRK,	38,000	11	6	16	4	1	13	17·9	0·0	4	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE,	36,300	7	8	13	1	1	13	18·7	0·0	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	52·0	31·0	42·7	0·80	5·5	15.
16. PERTH,	35,700	5	4	12	2	1	11	16·1	0·0	1	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	52·0	35·0	45·1	0·48	13·0	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Dec. 26, 1936,	2,546,000	708	520	748	98	38	688	14·1	0·5	86	305	0	0	2	4	8	8	0	2	125	8	19	54·0	31·0	44·7	0·81	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
Dec. 19, 1936,	2,546,000	901	346	811	99	46	758	15·6	0·5	103	326	0	0	1	9	4	4	1	5	144	9	28	55·0	22·0	41·9	2·06	...	
Dec. 28, 1935,	2,531,500	810	788	988	96	26	918	18·9	0·7	129	406	3	1	1	2	2	18	0	8	246	11	29	47·0	12·0	36·3	0·91	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

* Including typhus fever, smallpox, dysentery, erysipelas, acute poliomyelitis and lethargic encephalitis.

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During the week ending 2nd January 1937 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, those burghs which at the date of the 1931 Census had populations of over 30,000, the births of 861 living children, 1164 marriages and 798 deaths. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 736. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 17·7 per thousand, the marriage-rate 23·9, and the death-rate (corrected) 15·1.

The birth-rate of the week is 3·2 more than in the previous week, but 0·5 below the average. The marriage-rate is 13·2 more than in the previous week, and 5·7 above the average. The death-rate is 1·0 more than in the previous week, but 1·8 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 24·5 in Dunfermline and 21·5 in Coatbridge, to 8·2 in Paisley and 11·7 in Ayr. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Kirkcaldy (18·7), in Perth (17·6), in Glasgow (16·7) and in Hamilton (16·3). In Edinburgh the rate was 13·3.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 44, and are 20 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·9 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, none from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 9 from whooping-cough, 4 from diphtheria, 24 from influenza, 3 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 3 from other epidemic diseases, of which 2 were ascribed to erysipelas and 1 to lethargic encephalitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from scarlet fever are 1 fewer, from whooping-cough 5 more, from diphtheria 4 fewer, from influenza 16 more, from cerebro-spinal fever 3 more, and from other epidemic diseases 1 more.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 140, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·9 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·3 more than in the previous week, but is 0·9 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 94 and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 301. The former are 8 more than in the previous week but the latter are 4 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 29, and are 10 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for ten of the towns named in the Table was 42°·0, being 2°·7 below that for the previous week, but 3°·1 above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930. The mean rainfall was 0·83 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING JANUARY 2, 1937.

TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1936. (Provisional.)	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW,	1,124,300	401	533	385	30	4	359	16·7	1·0	53	137	0	0	0	6	1	11	2	2	74	7	16	52·0	35·0	42·2	0·89	0·1	1.
2. EDINBURGH,	464,600	149	170	139	22	1	118	13·3	0·2	8	61	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	27	0	5	52·0	33·0	41·9	0·33	7·3	2.
3. DUNDEE,	178,700	53	84	58	7	0	51	14·9	1·2	9	21	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	1	10	2	0	52·0	33·0	41·1	0·25	7·2	3.
4. ABERDEEN,	176,400	48	85	50	9	3	44	13·0	0·3	3	19	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	4	0	1	53·0	30·0	41·8	0·01	9·3	4.
5. PAISLEY,	89,700	35	48	15	2	1	14	8·2	0·6	2	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	52·3	35·0	42·5	1·14	0·2	5.
6. GREENOCK,	80,200	25	30	18	1	2	19	12·4	0·7	4	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	2	0	52·0	35·0	42·1	2·46	0·0	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	66,400	26	36	15	1	1	15	11·8	1·6	1	5	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	2	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK,	48,500	10	29	8	1	4	11	11·9	0·0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY,	44,700	12	11	15	1	2	16	18·7	2·3	1	8	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	3	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE,	43,800	16	28	18	1	1	18	21·5	2·4	5	6	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	3	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK,	39,900	20	26	14	4	2	12	15·7	0·0	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	52·0	33·0	42·1	1·16	1·3	11.
12. HAMILTON,	38,400	12	23	9	1	4	12	16·3	2·7	2	4	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR,	40,300	8	13	13	6	2	9	11·7	1·3	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	56·0	34·0	44·0	0·73	0·0	13.
14. FALKIRK,	38,000	17	18	14	5	0	9	12·4	0·0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE,	36,300	13	11	16	3	4	17	24·5	4·3	2	8	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	3	0	1	52·0	32·0	40·3	0·43	2·2	15.
16. PERTH,	35,700	16	19	11	0	1	12	17·6	1·5	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	4	0	0	54·0	32·0	41·5	0·85	2·6	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Jan. 2, 1937,	2,546,000	861	1164	798	94	32	736	15·1	0·9	94	301	0	0	1	9	4	24	3	3	140	11	29	56·0	30·0	42·0	0·83	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
Dec. 26, 1936,	2,546,000	708	520	748	98	38	688	14·1	0·5	86	305	0	0	2	4	8	8	0	2	125	8	19	54·0	31·0	44·7	0·81	...	
Jan. 4, 1936,	2,545,700	883	1611	1006	111	50	945	19·4	0·6	131	422	1	2	2	4	3	13	1	5	239	11	34	48·0	25·4	38·6	1·29	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

* Including typhus fever, smallpox, dysentery, erysipelas, acute poliomyelitis and lethargic encephalitis.

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